THE WEATHER

Unsettled, probably showers late tonight or Friday; warmer tonight; moderate variable winds.
Sun rises 5:56 a. m., sets 6:31 p. m.
Moon rises 10:01.
High tide 12:15 a. m., 1 p. m.
Temperatures till 1 p. m.—Maximum, 60 at noon; minimum, 41 at 5 a. m.; average, 50.2. Temperature at 1 p. m., 59.

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RUSSIA SENDS ARMY TO FRANCE

PLOT TO SINK TEUTON SHIPS IN HARBOR

U. S. HOPES TO AVOID RUPTURE

Tension at Washington Slightly Relieved in Crisis Over Note to German War Council in Berlin

By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Washington, April 20.—Despite the admitted gravity of the international situation, so far as the United States and Germany are concerned, sources close to President Wilson today for the first time in a week expressed hopes that a diplomatic break, with its consequent danger of war, will be avoided.

The Berlin Foreign Office, the President has been advised, it was learned, is utterly opposed to an open break if it can be prevented. Some of the leading officials there are understood to have prepared statements for submission to the Kaiser and the Imperial Chancellor, citing the statistics of the submarine campaign for the past five months to show that only 6 per cent. of the allied shipping has suffered. This gain is declared to have been more than offset by the loss of German submarines.

TENSION SLIGHTLY RELIEVED

Just what was the source of this report was impossible of determination. It was widely circulated throughout the Senate and the House by administration leaders, but not a single one of them would say for publication where the information came from. There was no disguising the fact, however, that it was considered reliable and that it had materially relieved the over-night tension.

As a result of making public the

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Panama Canal's Secret Service Guard Doubled

By International News Service.

Panama, April 20.—The secret service guard at the Panama Canal has been doubled. Extra details of men were put on watch at the most important parts of the waterway.

General Goethals is having every move of all suspicious persons on the isthmus watched. Soldiers at night stop all automobiles and pedestrians anywhere near the locks.

A torpedo boat destroyer at each entrance will give General Goethals extra protection to the terminal points. All Canal employes are ready to volunteer if needed to help in the defence of the Canal.

FIVE IN COURT FOR AUTO VIOLATIONS

Five men appeared in the Chelsea court today charged with violations of the automobile laws. Walter L. Avery of Cambridge and Oscar R. Togus of Beverly paid fines of $10 and $5 for operating motor cycles without licenses. Bacon B. Babbitt of Peterboro street, Boston, was fined $10 for speeding on the Revere Beach boulevard; Paul O. Wade of Columbia avenue, Boston, was charged with speeding and his case continued, and Chester Buleski of Broadway, Chelsea, charged with driving without a license, was held until May 11.

3 HELD FOR THEFT IN BOWLING ALLEY

Arthur Flynn, East Cottage street, Roxbury; Arthur Williams, Broadway, Revere, and Alexander Hodgkins, Mt. Vernon street, Chelsea, were held in $600 until April 29 in the Chelsea court today, charged with breaking and entering the bowling alleys of Timothy Burns, No. 153 Whittlemett street, Chelsea, and the larceny of $60 from a safe.

THREE FINED $20 IN SUGAR THEFT

Fines of $20 were imposed in Somerville court today on Timothy J. Sullivan, George O'Leary and William O'Brien of Somerville for stealing 200 pounds of sugar from a Boston & Maine freight car. They pleaded not guilty, appealed and were held in $200.

MORGAN'S YOUNGEST DAUGHTER ENGAGED

New York, April 20.—Messages of congratulation poured in today upon Miss Frances T. Morgan, youngest daughter of J. P. Morgan, following the announcement of her engagement to Paul Geddes Pennoyer, of Berkeley, Cal. The wedding probably will take place in June.

UNIQUE BARGAINS IN MOTORCARS

Miles and miles of smooth-surfaced boulevards and acres and acres of green and magnificent parking are the glory of Boston and the joy of her citizens.

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contain unique bargains in cars and motorcycles that are snapped up as soon as they appear.

LEGIONS OF CZAR ARE LANDED

Sensation in Paris as Joffre Announces the Arrival of Slav Soldiers at Marseilles

By CHARLES F. BERTELLI,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Paris, April 20.—Russian troops will soon be on the firing line in France, fighting shoulder to shoulder with the French and British against the German armies.

General Joffre announced today that a strong Russian contingent, consisting of selected officers and soldiers, had already arrived at Marseilles.

The official announcement from the French commander-in-chief furnished one of the greatest sensations of the war. It is taken here as evidence that the allies believe the outcome of the war will be decided in the western theatre.

In his order of the day to the French army General Joffre said: "Our faithful ally, Russia, whose armies are already fighting an unyielding against Germany, Austria and Turkey, has desired to furnish France a new token of her friendship and a more striking proof of her devotion to the common cause.

"Russian soldiers, chosen from among the bravest and commanded by the best reputed officers, are going to fight in our ranks.

"You will welcome them as brothers; you will show warm sympathy to those who left their own country to come and fight by our side.

"In the name of the French army I extend a welcome to the officers, non-commissioned officers and soldiers of the Russian forces, who have disembarked in France. I bow before their flag, whereon will soon be inscribed the glorious name of a common victory."

PURSUIT OF VILLA IS HALTED

Pershing Powerless Without Railroads and More Men, Says Funston; "Up to Washington"

Washington, April 20.—Consul Alger, at Matamlas, Mexico, today reported to the State Department that practically the entire American colony in that vicinity was fleeing from Mexico, because of threatening conditions.

Alger reported that the natives were under no governmental function's control, being free to loot as they pleased. They are especially directing their robberies against Americans, he reported.

By L. V. B. RUCKER,
By International News Service Staff Correspondent.

San Antonio, Tex., April 20.—Major-General Funston announced today that all efforts to capture Francisco Villa had been halted. He declared the entire plan of campaign would have to be changed.

"General Pershing's punitive expedition is at a standstill until the arrival of General Scott, chief of staff," said General Funston. "The whole plan of campaign must be changed. Our men will simply mark time unless attacked by Mexicans.

"The United States cavalry is now in a most desolate country. There is

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Resolution in Senate Urges Warring Nations to Talk Peace Terms

Washington, April 20.

A RESOLUTION urging the warring nations of Europe to discuss terms of peace was introduced in the senate this afternoon by Senator Newlands of Nevada. The resolution declares that the Teutonic allies have accomplished the avowed purpose of the war—the punishment of Serbia. The following remaining questions—German militarism and British royalism—should be disposed of by a gradual reduction of both, the resolution declares. The resolution was allowed to lie on the table under the rules and Newlands will discuss it later.

NEAR PANIC AT BLAZE IN ASYLUM

A fire today in the State Hospital for Insane at Austin Farm almost precipitated a panic when the fire apparatus came on the run into the grounds and began to unreel.

The fire, which had started in a part of the left wing used by the [illegible] was kept under control by [illegible] other officials by prompt use of [illegible] fire extinguishers soon had the [illegible] under control, before any actual damage had been done.

Fifty patients on the first and second floors were removed to the front end of the building.

The fire was discovered at about o'clock.

Salesman Hurt by Runaway.

Ray Smith, a salesman, was taken to the City Hospital suffering from a broken arm, at the hands of [illegible] knocked down by a runaway horse on the fish pier today. The animal broke its driver from the wagon, ran down a shaft and crashed head first into a concrete pillar.

BLAME PLOT FOR SEIZURES ON U. S. VESSEL

MOBILIZATION PLANS COMPLETE

The crisis in the relations between the United States and the German empire was brought home to Boston today by two important developments.

1—Mayor Curley requested Collector of the Port Edmund Billings to order the removal from their present positions in the harbor the German and Austrian liners tied up there.

2—Secret orders for the immediate mobilization of the Massachusetts militia for any sudden emergency have been drafted by Adjutant-General Charles H. Cole.

Although it is not officially admitted, it is understood at City Hall that the Mayor made the request to the federal authorities for the removal of the Teutonic liners because of reports of a plot to sink these all sailings in case of a rupture between the United States on the one side and Germany and Austria on the other. Collector Billings was not at his office today and no statement on the subject could be secured at the customs house.

Mayor Curley's letter to Collector Billings follows:

Edmund Billings, Collector of the Port, Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir—The location of the interned German ships in Boston Harbor is such, it seems to me, that serious injury would result to lives and property in the event of the ships being destroyed by those in command, if war should be declared.

In the interest of life and property I beg to suggest the advisability of having them anchored in the lower harbor.

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES M. CURLEY,
Mayor.

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East Boston Boy Awarded $10,000 for Loss of Leg

Latest War Bulletins

The Hague, April 20.—Protests by Holland against the seizure of mails by the British have again been disregarded. The government was notified today that the Dutch steamer Hollandia, which arrived at Amsterdam on Monday from Buenos Ayres, had been forced by the British to leave its mails at Falmouth for examination.

Copenhagen, April 20.—Major von Bismarck, German military attache at Berne, Switzerland, has been recalled, according to a dispatch from Berlin. No explanation of this action has been received, but private reports state that friction has arisen between Germany and Switzerland because the former country has held up artillery which the Swiss purchased at the Krupp works.

Salonica, April 20.—Greek residents of Turkey are being massacred by wholesale, according to reports received at the allies' headquarters here today. The outrages appear to be incited by the Ottoman authorities. Four hundred Greeks are said to have been killed and 300 wounded. Bulgarian troops are said to have participated in this massacre. At Smyrna 200 Greeks perished.

TODAY'S BANK CLEARINGS.

Boston sub-treasury credit $123,405.

Boston clearings $45,011,745.

New York sub-treasury credit $1,217,804.

New York clearings $447,910,094.

The New York sub-treasury gained $867,000 from banks yesterday, making the gain $3,991,000 since Friday last.

MANCHESTER, N. H., DOCTORS RAISE FEE

SIMMONS MOVES SUGAR DUTY BAN

DEMANDS BRITISH RELEASE AMERICAN

EASTER IS BUT— 2 Shopping Days Away Early Purchasing Is Advisable

ANOTHER NEUTRAL STEAMER SUNK

VON BERNSTORFF CALLS FOR QUICK REPLY TO U. S. DEMANDS

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report administration followers of the Senate and House Foreign Affairs Committees claimed that they had complete control of the situation in both branches of Congress and that embarrassing conditions of any kind would be made evident at a time that might complicate the situation.

BERNSTORFF VISITS LANSING.

Ambassador von Bernstorff conferred with Secretary of State Lansing at length today. While the primary object of the conference was the arrest of Wolf von Igel, arrested in New York last Tuesday, and the ambassador's demand that von Igel shall be released from custody, all documents seized at Igel's home turned back as evidence of conspiracy, the general submarine situation was discussed.

It is understood that the ambassador asked whether a dispatch of the position taken in connection with Mediterranean sinkings would help this government, and that the secretary should find that there would be no discussion of any phase of the situation now pending between the two governments.

Cables from Berlin and Vienna to Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg and Foreign Minister Baron von Burian, Austrian premier, held a conference with Ambassador von Bernstorff and Captain Boy-Ed, German naval attache, before the latter sailed for Germany.

It is believed that the conference was held to discuss the latest German governmental message to Washington, bearing on the Sussex submarine warfare. It was announced that the chancellor will leave Berlin Friday or Saturday for a conference with Emperor William at German headquarters.

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Sea Rules Wilson Insists Germany Shall Observe

By International News Service.

Washington, April 20.—Universal and indisputable rules of international law" affirmed [illegible] which the United States insists [illegible] many shall observe [illegible] warfare, may be summed up as follows:

VISIT AND SEARCH.

[illegible]

INCLUDED CARGOTIERS

[illegible]

MIGHT TAKE 10 DAYS

Count von Bernstorff declared it is his opinion it would require a week or ten days before the definite reply of the German government would be ready for presentation to the United States. Counsellor Polk, and Ambassador von Bernstorff that all the points at issue following the sinking of the Sussex, and the sinking of von Igel which are proper subjects for documents will be turned over to the embassy. The date of Monday has been fixed, on the ground that by next Monday an attitude of the cabinet and lines broadly indicted, will be under consideration by Secretary Lansing and Counselor Polk.

Increase Guards Over Wireless

Washington, April 20.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today confirmed press reports that additional marines have been sent to Tuckerton, N. J., [illegible]

London Sees Portent in Wilson Message

By International News Service.

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READY FOR SERVICE.

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FEAR PLOT TO SINK GERMAN SHIPS HERE

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CALL AT CAPITAL.

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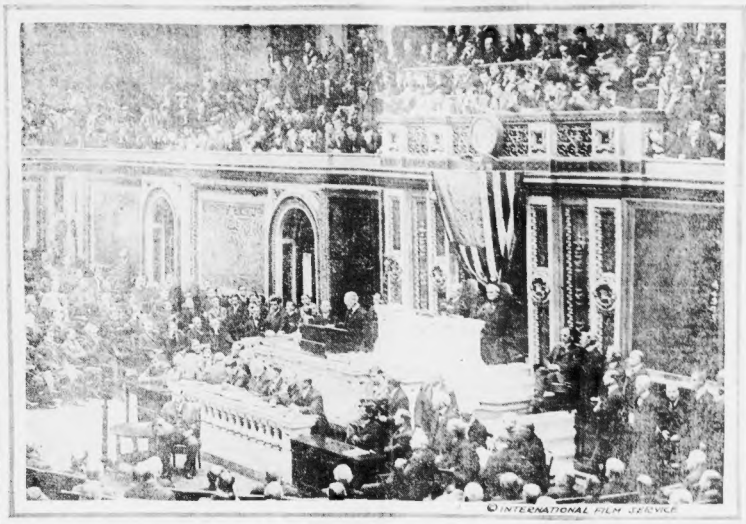
DEMANDS U-BOATS CEASE 'ILLEGAL' ACTS

President Wilson Telling Congress of His Ultimatum

BREAK WOULD MEAN WAR, GERMANS THINK



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President's review of Germany's conduct of submarine warfare in the House of Representatives Chamber yesterday attracted thronged galleries.

Washington, April 20—The State Department made public the text of the note to Germany demanding that she cease her illegal submarine campaign. Following is the complete text:

To Ambassador Gerard:

You are instructed to deliver to the secretary of foreign affairs a communication reading as follows:

I did not fail to transmit immediately by telegraph to my government Your Excellency's note of the tenth instant in regard to certain attacks by German submarines, and particularly in regard to the disastrous explosion, which on March 24, last, wrecked the French steamship Sussex in the English Channel.

I have now the honor to deliver, under instructions from my government the following reply to Your Excellency.

Information now in the possession of the government of the United States fully establishes the facts in the case of the Sussex, and the inferences which my government has drawn from that information, it regards as confirmed by the circumstances set forth in Your Excellency's note of the tenth instant.

SUSSEX IS ATTACKED.

On the 24th of March, 1916, at about 2:30 o'clock, in the afternoon, the **unarmed steamer Sussex, with 325 or more passengers on board, among whom were a number of American citizens, was torpedoed** while crossing from Folkstone to Dieppe.

The Sussex had not been armed, was a vessel known to be habitually used only for the conveyance of passengers across the English channel, and was not following any route taken by troop ships or supply ships.

About eighty of her passengers, non-combatants, of all ages and sexes, including citizens of the United States, were killed or injured.

A careful, detailed and scrupulously impartial investigation by naval and military officers of the United States has conclusively established the fact that the Sussex was **torpedoed without warning or summons to surrender, and that the torpedo by which she was struck was of German manufacture. In the view of the government of the United States these facts from the first made the conclusion that the torpedo was fired by a German submarine unavoidable.**

It only remains that conclusion substantiated by the statements in Your Excellency's note.

GIVES SUBMARINE DETAILS.

A statement of the facts upon which the government of the United States has based its conclusion is inclosed.

The government of the United States, after having given careful consideration to the note of the Imperial German government of the 10th of April, regrets to state that the impression made upon it by the statements in that note is not favorable. Its view is that the **Imperial government has failed to reconcile the gravity of the situation which has resulted, not alone from the attack on the Sussex, but from the whole method and character of submarine warfare** as practiced by the commanders of German under-sea craft during the past twelve months and more, in the indiscriminate destruction of merchant vessels of all sorts, nationalities and destination.

If the sinking of the Sussex had been an isolated case, the government of the United States might find it possible to bring that the officer who was responsible for that act had wilfully violated his orders or had been criminally negligent in taking such of the precautions they prescribed, and that the ends of justice might be satisfied by imposing upon him an adequate punishment, coupled with a formal disavowal of the act and payment of a suitable indemnity by the Imperial German government.

CHARGES OTHER ATTACKS.

But though the attack upon the Sussex was manifestly indefensible and caused a loss of life, so unusual an character as to stand forth as **one of the most terrible examples of the inhumanity of submarine warfare** as the commanders of German vessels are conducting it, unhappily does not stand alone.

On the contrary, the government of the United States is forced by recent events to conclude that it is only one instance, even though one of the most extreme and most distressing instances, of the **deliberate method and spirit of indiscriminate destruction of merchant vessels of all sorts, nationalities and destinations** which have become more and more unmistakable as the activity of German undersea vessels of war has in recent months been quickened and extended.

The Imperial German government will recall that when in February, 1915, it announced the intention of treating the waters surrounding Great Britain and Ireland as embraced within the seat of war and of destroying all merchant ships owned by its enemies that might be found within that zone of danger, and warned all vessels, neutral as well as belligerent, to keep out of the waters thus proscribed or to enter them at their peril, **the government of the United States earnestly protested.**

It took the position that such a policy could not be pursued without constant **gross and palpable violation of the accepted laws of nations,** particularly those which maritime craft were to be employed as its instruments, inasmuch as the rules prescribed by that law, **rules founded on the principles of humanity** and established for the protection of the lives of noncombatants at sea, could not, in the nature of the case, be observed by such vessels.

LAW BASED ON HUMANITY.

It based its protest on the ground that persons of neutral nationality and vessels of neutral ownership would be exposed to extreme and intolerable risks, and that **no right to close any part of the high seas could lawfully be asserted by the imperial government** in the circumstances then existing.

The law of nations in these matters, upon which the government of the United States based that protest, is not of recent origin or founded upon merely arbitrary principles set up by convention. It is based, on the contrary, upon **manifest principles of humanity and has long been established with the approval and by the express assent of all civilized nations.**

The imperial government, notwithstanding, proceeded in carrying out the policy announced, expressing the hope that the dangers involved, any rate to neutral vessels, would be reduced to a minimum by the instructions which it had issued to the commanders of its submarines, and assuring the government of the United States that it would take every possible precaution both to respect the rights of neutrals and to safeguard the lives of noncombatants.

CLAIM PLEDGE VIOLATED.

In pursuance of this policy of submarine warfare, against the conscience of all civilized men, thus announced and thus entered upon in **despite the solemn protest of the government of the United States,** the commanders of the imperial government's undersea vessels have conducted the process **of such ruthless destruction** which have made it more and more evident as the months have gone by that the imperial government has found it impracticable to put any such restraint upon them as it had hoped and promised to put.

Again and again **the imperial government has given its solemn assurances** to the government of the United States that at least passenger ships would not be thus dealt with, and yet it has **repeatedly permitted its undersea commanders to disregard these assurances with entire impunity.**

As recently as February last it gave notice that it would regard all armed merchantmen owned by its enemies as part of the armed naval forces of its adversaries, and deal with them as with men of war, thus, at least by implication, **pledging itself to give warning to vessels which were not armed, and to accord security of life to their passengers and crews, but even this limitation their submarine commanders have recklessly ignored.**

Vessels of neutral ownership, even vessels of neutral ownership bound from neutral port to neutral port, have been destroyed along with vessels of belligerent ownership in constantly increasing numbers.

NOT ALWAYS WARNED.

Sometimes the merchantmen attacked have been **warned** and summoned to surrender before being fired on or being torpedoed, sometimes their passengers and crews have been vouchsafed the poor security of being allowed to take to the ship's boats before the ship was sent to the bottom. But again no warning has been given, no escape, even to the ship's boats allowed to those on board.

Great liners like the Lusitania and Arabic and more passenger boats like the Sussex have been **attacked without any security warning,** often before they have even been aware that they were in the presence of an armed ship of the enemy, and the **lives of non-combatants, passengers and crew have been destroyed wholesale and in a manner which the government of the United States cannot but regard as wanton and without the slightest color of justification.**

No limit of any kind has in fact been set to their indiscriminate pursuit and destruction of merchantmen of all kinds and nationalities, within the waters which the Imperial government has chosen to designate as lying within the seat of war.

The toll of Americans who have lost their lives upon ships thus attacked and destroyed has grown month by month until the ominous toll has mounted into the hundreds.

The government of the United States has been very patient. At every stage of its intercourse with the present German government it has sought to be governed by the friendly consideration due between friendly governments. Accordingly, after the tragedy of the Sussex it had

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BOTH ROOSEVELT AND BRYAN CRITICISE WILSON'S ULTIMATUM TO GERMANY

"President Said It All 14 Months Ago," Is Comment of Roosevelt.

By International News Service.

New York, April 20.—Former President Roosevelt made the following statement:

"Fourteen months ago the President's strict accountability to Germany, if it meant anything, meant at least what the present note means.

"Unfortunately, the President's action in Mexico and as regards other matters, had been such that Germany did not believe the note meant anything, and acted accordingly.

"And the President's repeated notes since then, interspersed as they were, with speeches and statements such as that about being 'too proud to fight' did not remove the impression.—*Theodore Roosevelt.*

WOULD HAVE SAVED LIVES.

During these fourteen months ships after ship has been sunk and many thousands of lives of noncombatants, including many hundreds of lives of women and children, have been lost.

If Germany now does as the President demands, it will be itself testifying that if he had chosen to take the proper position at the time of the original "strict accountability" note, the lives of all these women and children and other non-combatants would have been saved, and the causes of friction with Germany would have been removed.

If, on the other hand, Germany does not do as requested, it is well to remember that such a note as the "strict accountability" note of fourteen months ago is unpardonable unless it is backed by the power to make the words good.

SUPPLIED OUR ENEMIES.

"If it was meant to be taken seriously and to produce results, it should have been accompanied by immediate and thorough-going preparation, whereas, as a matter of fact, we are not even stronger by a man or a rifle, or a boat or a gun, and of the small amount of ammunition we have manufactured, a part was furnished to the Villistas, who used it against our troops, and some has since been furnished to the Carranzistas, who have likewise used it against our troops.

"Any action of mine in these matters I discussed at the time and what I have said is to be found in my book, called 'Fear God and Take Your Own Part.' I can only repeat, as I there said, that whereas courtesy combined with resolute insistence upon one's rights tends to produce peace, a policy of weak submission to wrong produces a long succession of injuries which must be submitted to and then leaves a condition of exasperation far more dangerous to peace than if there had been at the outset courageous insistence upon one's rights.

CRIME FOR THIS COUNTRY TO ENTER EUROPEAN WAR, SAYS BRYAN

By International News Service.

St. Louis, April 19.—"I believe it would be a crime against civilization for this country to go into the war and therefore unwise for this country to do anything that would increase the chances of going into the war," said Wm. J. Bryan today, before leaving St. Louis for Washington, where he said he was going to try to prevent the United States from entering the war. He gave out the following statement:

I know nothing of the controversy with Germany excepting what I have read in the newspapers. If the dispute has reached a point where diplomacy is unable to deal with it, there are but two roads open.

THE TWO ALTERNATIVES.

Before there is any necessity for war, first the dispute can be submitted to an international tribunal for investigation and report. This is the plan now embodied in thirty treaties with governments representing three-fourths of the population of the world. These treaties require us to take this course with Great Britain, France, Russia and Italy to cover all disputes with any of them nations.

Germany has formally approved this plan, although no treaty has ever been negotiated with Germany, but as the plan was offering to all the world I take it for granted it will at least be proposed before we go to war with any country.

If for any reason this treaty plan is not employed there is still another alternative before going to war. Namely, the postponement of the settlement of the dispute until the present war is over.

There are two reasons which this course is preferable to going into this war.

QUARREL OF EUROPEAN KINGS.

First, postponement would in all probability enable us to reach a settlement after the war, the fear of the effect of the settlement on this war being now the greatest obstacle in the way of settlement.

Second, if we must have a war, it is better to postpone it until after this war is over. Then it will be our war with the nation with which we have our dispute and we can decide when to go in and when to come out.

But if we go into this war now we must stay in until the nations come out and while in it, ready for things that fight for, in other words, we will become entangled with the dispute of a European monarch, to be used to fight out his quarrels with other European monarchs. This war has already cost the lives of many million men and filled the old world with widows, orphans and cripples.

SHOULD STRIVE FOR PEACE.

It has created new war debts nearly if not quite equal to the accumulated war debts existing when this war began.

It is unreasonable that our people decide to enter into this war and spend hundreds of thousands of lives and millions of dollars to vindicate the right of an American citizen to put his convenience above his nation's welfare.

It is as much a citizen's duty to consider his country as it is the duty of the country to protect his rights. Instead of surrendering our rights to act as mediators as we would if we went into this war, we should endeavor to persuade the nations at war to come to honorable terms of peace.

NO HONOR WE CAN PRESERVE.

There is no honor that we can gain or preserve by going into this war that is comparable with the honor we can win if we lift Europe out of the mire of blood and from the brute force level to a plane upon which the nations can deal with each other as brothers and build a permanent peace on love and the spirit of co-operation.

The old world tried to preserve peace by force and fear. Both nations put in practice (the other). We cannot afford to adopt the false philosophy that has made Europe a slaughter house. We cannot afford to encourage military issues on one any naval issues on the other. It is a supreme opportunity to save humanity.

Germany Didn't Believe Other Note, Says T. R.

FOURTEEN months ago the President's strict accountability" note to Germany, if it meant anything, meant at least what the present note means.

Unfortunately, the President's action in Mexico and as regards other matters, had been such that Germany did not believe the note meant anything, and acted accordingly.

And the President repeated notes since then, interspersed as they were, with speeches and statements such as that about being "too proud to fight" did not remove the impression.—*Theodore Roosevelt.*

Will Shorten War Is Claim of F. R. Coudert

New York, April 20.—In discussing the President's address to Congress and the possibility of a severance of diplomatic relations with Germany, Frederic R. Coudert, an international lawyer, said:

Certainly there has never been such an international arraignment since the world began, and personally I believe that our attitude will result in materially shortening the war. Assuming, as appears probable, that Germany will not cease her submarine warfare, she will find herself in a world completely hostile.

The better sentiment among the German people will then realize that the course of her military autocracy from the day of the invasion of Belgium has placed Prussian militarism in conflict with modern civilization, and this pressure of home opinion, added to the exterior pressure of practically the whole world, should lead to a speedy peace.

I can only say that the duty of the United States is to protect its citizens in their legitimate callings the world over. Having taken the position that Germany's action on the high seas had made her an outlaw, Congress would have to devise effective means of protecting our citizens. This we could do only by force, and I have little doubt that if Germany did not radically alter her methods the United States would have to alien itself with the allies in defending international law and right.

If we must now cast in our lot with them we will do so at a minimum of danger, and probably conjure away some of the great perils of the future. In addition, the national movement for preparedness would be greatly accelerated. Instead of having to meet a powerful European nation alone, as the result of a quarrel affecting our own interests solely, we find ourselves engaged in a world war, but supported by the more important nations—England, from whom we derive our institutions, and France, whose friendship made us what we are.

Lodge Praises Wilson's Action

Washington, April 20.—Senator Lodge, ranking Republican member of the Foreign Relations Committee, said:

I think that the President could not possibly have done less in the circumstances. He has made a very clear statement of the the course of German's acts and policies in submarine warfare and of the rights of ships carrying neutrals and non-combatants.

"Wilson, at End of His String, Shifts Blame"

By PETER C. GROSSCUP.

Former Judge United States Circuit Court of Appeals of Chicago.

New York, April 20.—Mr. Wilson, in submitting to Germany an impossible alternative that in a few days will be declined by Germany, is at the end of his string. The next step, persistence by Germany in her submarine warfare, will be a matter wholly for Congress.

Mr. Wilson's move is an adroit one; it checkmates all those who oppose him who are not ready to carry their opposition to the extent of war. But it does not solve the problem. It simply shifts it from his own shoulders to those of Congress.

Our casus belli against Germany, if we have any, is the abstract right of any American to ship on any vessel he pleases, either as passenger or crew, going into any waters he pleases. If a wagegarner he can, as a matter of fact, remain at home and find work at home; if a passenger, he can ship on an American liner. The right involved is thus largely an abstract right only—a right he can give up without injury either to himself or his livelihood. Is it ground for war?

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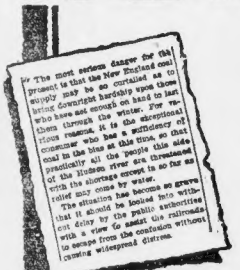
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REFUSE TO RELEASE VON IGEL, DESPITE BERNSTORFF DEMAND

By International News Service.

New York, April 20.—Despite Ambassador Bernstorff's repeated demands for the release of Wolf von Igel and the surrender of the documents taken from his office at the time of his arrest, the United States government did not release the prisoner.

Instead, photographic copies of the papers seized were sent to Washington.

CALL IT MASTER STROKE.

These photographs will be shown to the Ambassador and he will be given a new opportunity to define his position as to the right of the United States Department of Justice to seize them.

Throughout the day it became more and more evident that the arrest of Von Igel was a master stroke on the part of the local secret service men.

The case has loomed as the most important in the plot investigation. And the papers taken were seized at the only moment of the day—perhaps or any day—when so large a number and so important a collection could have been available.

SURPRISE FOR EMBASSY.

The law provides that only those papers seized at the time of the arrest can be used in the prosecution in such a case. Today the government officials declared they did not care at all for the other papers in von Igel's office, all of which are locked in a safe and protected by the seal of the German embassy.

One of the men connected with the prosecution of the alleged bomb plotters today told the International News Service that an unpleasant surprise would await the German ambassador.

He said the papers would show conclusively that an accredited official of the German government had been guilty of complicity at every step taken in the conspiracy to destroy the Welland canal and ships bearing munitions to the allies.

It is expected that, as a result of the statements contained in the papers and corroborated evidence in the hands of the department of justice, Count von Bernstorff will be asked to leave the United States.

He will be given a chance to point out, further tonight, the prisoner's claim of extra-territorial rights and immunity.

THE REVELATIONS.

The revelations contained in the papers may be outlined briefly, as follows:

1—The commandeered documents incriminate in a legal way in the Welland canal conspiracy and other bomb and arson plots, some of the most important official and pseudo-official reports of the Imperial German government in this country.

2—At least two of these officials, as shown by the documents, are so deeply enmeshed in the Welland Canal and other conspiracies that they could be indicted by a Federal Grand Jury were not for barriers raised by their enjoyment of extra-territorial rights.

The documents, the International News Service was informed, reveal a great many of the activities, financial and otherwise, of Ambassador von Bernstorff; Dr. Heinrich F. Albert, financial agent of the German government in this country; Captain Boy-Ed, recalled naval attache; Captain von Papen, recalled military attache; Hans Tauscher, agent of the Krupps in this country; Paul Koenig, reputed head of the German Secret service, and more than a score of prominent Americans and German-Americans.

NEW INDICTMENTS COMING.

The seized papers, a high United States official said tonight, supply the key to the vast financial expenditures of Dr. Albert, expenditures which the government had always decided would forever be consigned to the limbo of unsolvable mysteries.

As a result of information contained in the documents the Federal Grand Jury today gave supplemental consideration to the Welland Canal conspiracy, in which von Papen, von Igel, Tauscher and two others have already been indicted. Superseding indictments, investigating a number of new features, will be handed down, the International News Service was informed.

A bundle of papers seized in the raid on Von Papen's financial headquarters were carried before the Grand Jury this afternoon by Special Agent George Storck of the Department of Justice. Assistant United States Attorney Roger B. Wood, also carrying a bundle of papers, was another who appeared before the indicting body.

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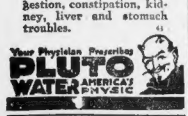

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The ceremony was performed by Rev. Joel H. Metcalf. The best man was Walter D. Scott and the maid of honor was Miss Alice Peppard.

Following a reception Mr. and Mrs. Scott left on a honeymoon.

LEYDEN'S MEETING IS UNMOLESTED

Thomas E. Leyden, the Somerville lecturer, whose attempts to speak in City Hall, Haverhill, resulted in a serious riot on the night of April 5, gave his account of the affair to an audience in the People's Temple. Along with it he delivered the address that the mob had prevented his giving at Haverhill.

The police, fearing that there might be a repetition of the scenes enacted when Leyden appeared in Haverhill, took elaborate precautions to safeguard the meeting.

HARVARD GLEE CLUB AIDS ORPHANS

The glee club of the Harvard Club of Boston, Malcolm Lang conductor, will contribute part of the program of the mass meeting in the interest of the "Orphelinat des Armees," which will be held in Tremont Temple next Tuesday evening, April 25. The principal speaker will be Miss Florence M. Schofield, an English woman, who occupied a position in Paris when the war broke out.

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Men's 10c Half Hose—In black, tan, navy, and grey **12½c**

Women's Stylish Collars 42c

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OBREGON URGES WAR ON U. S. IMMEDIATELY

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no grass and little fodder. Water is scarce.

"General Pershing has fallen back from Satevo. Most of the advance cavalry has also been called back. There are only a few small detachments south of Satevo.

"The situation is now up to Washington. Without railroads, a new base and more men, General Pershing can do no more."

General Funston received today a long code message from General Pershing which was written six days ago at Satevo. He refused to give it out, sending it on to Washington, but stated that the dispatch dealt with the general situation in Mexico.

Pershing reported two new incursions of Mexican cavalry, which said their advance guards were recently attacked by our troops, but were driven off. Whether reinforced is not known.

Obregon Urges War Against U. S.

private effort to force First Chief Carranza to declare war against the United States immediately.

This information was received here in a message to the International News Service from Chihuahua.

The war party of the Carranza government is said to have taken complete charge of the conduct of affairs and Carranza has become no more than a figurehead.

The Mexican peons are being told that if they go to war with the Dutch or States they will find an ally either in Japan or Germany and will be able to avoid annexation. The manufacturers assert that this initiative step is necessary to frustrate a plan on the part of the United States to annex or retain possession of the country.

In anticipation of American interference, Gen. Mexico Gen. Alvaro Obregon has mobilized approximately 10,000 Indians in the vicinity of Mexico City to cope with any United States forces that may attempt to march from Vera Cruz to the capital.

These forces, gathered by General Obregon, who has become the militant dictator of Mexico, are Yaqui servants of last year's campaigns against Villa and the Brecent warriors of Mexico. Twenty thousand Indians pressed General Obregon to Mexico City and have been distributed in the suburbs of the capital. Ten thousand more Indians from Sonora are with Obregon's cavalry commander, Ernesto Castro.

Carranza is declared to have lost all dominance in the de facto government.

REPORT REAL CRISIS.

That a real crisis has been reached in the negotiations with General Carranza is said to have been reported to the State Department. No message received here said so.

Consul Letcher's most recent reports are of such a nature that should compel Washington to make them public.

All supplies shipped over the Mexican railways and intended for the American forces through consignment to private individuals are still being handled.

When an explanation was demanded, the reply was given that the supplies could not be released without an order from General Obregon.

The nine cars of grain and forage supplies arrived at Chihuahua city last Thursday morning were confiscated.

The efforts made by Consul Letcher to secure the release of the several shipments now have been forwarded to San Antonio over the Northwestern Railway have been ignored.

VILLA STILL ALIVE.

General Luis Herrera left Chihuahua en route for Parral on Sunday night in command of the Morelos and Juarez brigades.

The Mexican officials are no longer endeavoring to substantiate the report of Villa's death. General Gutierrez said the information never amounted to more beat to retire and started across the railroad near the depot of the Ferrocarril Durango Railroad on the outskirts of the city. The Mexicans led by Manuel Orozco, a nephew of Herrera, followed the retreating troopers.

In an effort to retreat without retaliation upon the mob, the cavalry threw a cordon. Consul Letcher said there was nothing in the story of Villa's body having been found.

Thirteen Villistas were executed for plotting to overthrow the Carranza garrison.

General Eichenberger of the Twelfth cavalry, who has been missing since the Parral fight, has been located southeast of Parral, according to a report from Colonel Brown to Consul Letcher.

The message does not state whether Eichenberger was found dead or alive. He is believed to be the courier sent from Colonel Brown to ascertain what had happened to Major Tompkins, in connection when firing was heard in the city of Parral.

TELLS OF PARRAL BATTLE.

A summary of the Alvarado Mining & Milling company, reached El Paso & Milling company, reached El Paso today, tells a first-person account of the battle.

His report has been forwarded to General Bell, and it relates that not one Mexican was killed. The Mexicans wounded consisted of seven soldiers and one child. Two American casualties were are brought wounded in the official report. Here are the names of those killed by General fire:

Major Tompkins of the Thirteenth cavalry and a small command were some distance out of Parral when they were accompanied by Jose De La Luz Herrera, Alvarado politician, and invited to enter the city and accept the hospitality of the municipal authorities.

Accompanied by Herrera, the command reached the plaza in safety. Major Tompkins dismounted to shake hands with Luis Carranza, commander and several other Mexican officials who were present. A crowd collected, consisting largely of peons and Carranza soldiers off duty.

Shots started to taunt and jeer the American soldiers, but were not arrested.

The trouble started when some one threw a stone. Major Tompkins immediately announced to the Mexicans that he thought it anymore spurred their horses to gallop as they passed the depot.

Just at this point however, the Mexican troops, which had left the garrison in a secret move to cut off the retreat, fired a volley on the Americans. One trooper dropped from his saddle to the ground. He had been killed instantly by a Mexican bullet.

Major Tompkins ordered his men to fire and retreat again. A few words further out they were compelled to stand and fight. Here another trooper was killed and several wounded. Retreating in this manner and firing as they went around the outskirts of the city were finally reached.

RESCUE TROOPER'S BODY.

The body of the trooper killed in the depot was not recovered until the following day. A camp was made that night at La Cruz, about ten miles out of Parral, and on Thursday morning Colonel Brown and the Tenth cavalry came up with reinforcements of about 400 men.

On Thursday afternoon Colonel Brown sent a part of his force to Satevillo, two and a half miles from Parral, to disperse the mob which had attacked the plant of the Alvarado Mining & Milling company. These troops remained in the city until Carranza soldiers relieved them. To avoid conflict, the Americans withdrew from Palomilla two hours before the Carranzistas arrived.

The plant of the Alvarado officials to send a special train with civilian refugees for their property have been transferred to orders from both the State Department and the War Department.

Four aeroplanes passed through El Paso en route to Columbus, as expected. The bill of lading showed that the shipment originated at Newport News.

CARRANZA MOVES TO STOP FURTHER INVASION BY U. S.

By International News Service.

Washington, April 20—The State Department has received a dispatch from Consul Letcher at Chihuahua indicating that Carranza has taken steps to prevent by force any further movement southward of American troops in Mexico.

This information is back of the sending of General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff, to the Mexican border.

Though General Scott is ostensibly to San Antonio for a conference with General Funston, it is believed he goes with what might be called diplomatic powers and that as soon as he has conferred with General Funston he will endeavor to ascertain the exact attitude of Carranza toward the American punitive expedition.

The report from Consul Letcher stated that nearly all the Carranza troops have been sent out of Chihuahua to the south, where they are reported to mean that the Carranza government purposed to place a large body of Mexican soldiers directly in front of General Pershing's troops. The reason given for this troop movement is Carranza's desire to assist in the capture of Villa.

General Bonilla, a cousin of the governor of Chihuahua and other Mexican officials guarantees of safety for American troops, he is expected to report that they say to Secretary Baker, to the Secretary may lay the case before President Wilson. It is understood that Scott will advise that General Pershing be instructed to go south as far as he deems advisable.

The report of Consul Letcher on Carranza's attitude, it was pointed out, brings the United States face to face with these alternatives:

1—To withdraw General Pershing and his troops.

2—To exercise the right to pursue and capture Villa and to disregard the objection of Carranza.

It was pointed out that authority that President Wilson had given to General Pershing to the withdrawal of American troops.

Ambassador Designate Arredondo called at the State Department and is understood to have renewed the demand of Carranza that the troops be withdrawn.

Secretary Lansing said that Mr. Arredondo's visit referred to the assertion of Antonio Villareal, who is said to be at Laredo recruiting Villa troops for an invasion of Mexico. A Villa force is said to be at San Antonio. The Secretary told Mr. Arredondo that he would investigate the charge that Villistas at San Antonio and across border cities were plotting to raise another army.

Secretary Baker indicated that there was no intention either of expelling the contingent in Mexico or of withdrawing the troops.

BROKEN FAITH LED MELLEN TO SUE

New York, April 20.—Charles S. Mellen's suit to recover from the New Haven two years' salary at $30,000 as an adviser, following his retirement as president of the railroad in 1913, would not have been brought, it has been learned, if his claim for $78,222.89 for legal expenses had been paid.

When the railroad refused to reimburse him he decided to take back his waiver of claim to the salary, contending that since the road had not carried out its part of the agreement he was not bound to carry out his.

No official of the New Haven would talk about the suit, but it can be said on authority that the present attitude of the company is to go to trial and not compromise. If trial does come, some interesting things will be told that have not so far attracted attention in the rattling of New Haven bones that has been going on for the past three years.

DENIED AGREEMENT.

The agreement to pay Mr. Mellen $30,000 a year for five years after his resignation, and to "indemnify and hold him harmless" from any litigation growing out of his acts as president, was entered into on July 17, 1913, the day he offered his resignation. It became effective Aug. 29, the day he quit office, and Howard Elliott succeeded him.

On October 2 the directors of the New Haven decided it would never do to go before the stockholders at their approaching annual meeting and admit that such an agreement was in effect.

On that day the board adopted a resolution reappointing, "for the purpose of taking up for reconsideration the agreement with Charles S. Mellen," the committee that had made the agreement.

This committee was composed of Theodore N. Vail, J. P. Morgan, Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania; William Skinner, Edward Milligan and Robert W. Taft. It was this committee that chose Mr. Elliott as Mr. Mellen's successor.

TOLD MELLEN REASONS.

Mr. Vail and Mr. Rea visited Mr. Mellen and told him the reasons for desiring a new arrangement. What they said is not publicly known, though it will be recited at length in the suit goes to trial. Mr. Mellen said he would think the matter over, and in a week or a second visit was paid him.

As a result of these visits Mr. Mellen wrote an informal note saying that he had decided to waive any claim to pay for services he might render the railroad in an advisory capacity. On October 22 the stockholders' meeting was held at New Haven, and the first thing that came up was a demand to know about the agreement with Mr. Mellen.

The former president was just then being held responsible for nearly everything that had gone wrong on the New Haven, from its wrecks to the government's growing insistence that its ergle be unscrambled. The stockholders couldn't see why, if Mr. Mellen's resignation had been desirable three months before, he should be continued in an informal capacity and to be unable to see this they did exactly what the directors feared, on October 2, they would do.

STOCKHOLDERS QUIETED.

President Elliott told the stockholders that Mr. Mellen was not to be paid anything for any service he might render the road, reading his letter in proof thereof. That satisfied the stockholders and no question was raised about the indemnification clause in the agreement. Mr Mellen's contention now is that there never was any waiver of the indemnification and that the New Haven understood this perfectly.

A reporter asked President Elliott about this on November 11, 1915.

"Does this mean," the question was, "that you are going to pay the cost of his (Mr. Mellen's) defence in the manslaughter indictments growing out of various wrecks, and in the conspiracy case growing out of the Grand Trunk proposition?"

"I don't know," said Mr. Elliott, "but I assume so. There is no reason why Mr. Mellen should be compelled to go into his own pocket and pay the expenses of litigation that is a natural part of his having been president of this road."

MELLEN BUSY IN COURTS.

Mr. Mellen has spent nearly all the last two and a half years in litigation. He was indicted for manslaughter as a result of the Westport wreck of October 2, 1912. The case was dismissed April 14, 1914, for lack of evidence. The Grand Trunk indictments, found January 29, 1913, were not disposed of until he got immunity by his testimony before the Interstate Commerce Commission in 1914. He was made a party to the restitution suits brought against the Billard Company, the settlement of which was recently announced.

In these various matters it is said that Mr. Mellen used three firms of lawyers, the "courts and tribunals" being in the District of Columbia and the States of New York, Connecticut and Massachusetts. No judgment was rendered against him in any of them, but it was pointed out yesterday that $78,222 was not at all a large sum for retainers' fees and incidental expenses for so protracted a period of legal strife.

May Open New Route to Pershing Base

By International News Service.

Presidio, Tex., April 20.—Army officers learned that four possible fords across the Rio Grande here. Intimation was given that a new line of communication would within a few days be established, with Marfa, Texas, as the railroad base and Presidio at the river base.

This line of communication will run directly south to Parral, the road being shorter by more than 240 miles than the present route through Columbus. The new route will lie through what has for years been the most turbulent section of Chihuahua.

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SHOES for Easter

The picture shows a Queen Mab boot—the latest Easter arrival in the Women's Shop.

White Soles and Heels

With two-color uppers—ivory and brown, ivory and blue, white and gray. Also all ivory.

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Says Gentle Rubbing Always Helps Reduce Varicose Veins

Rubbing the swollen veins nightly for about two minutes with a gentle upward stroke brings benefit to sufferers and is mighty good advice, says an authority.

After the rubbing, which should always be toward the heart, because the blood in the veins flows that way, apply Moone's Emerald Oil (full strength) with brush or hand.

Try this simple home treatment for a few days and improvement will be noticed, then continue until veins are reduced to normal. It is very concentrated and penetrating and can be obtained at any modern drug store. It is so powerful that it also reduces Goitre and Wens. All live druggists have Moone's Emerald Oil in the original bottle and will be glad to supply it. Ask for Moone's Emerald Oil and be sure you get it.—Advertisement.

FRENCH ATTACK AT VAUX AND CAPTURE GERMAN POSITION

London, April 20. — French troops have taken the offensive on the east bank of the Meuse River in the second battle of Verdun.

The official communique issued this afternoon announced that a French attack was carried out successfully last night in Vaux.

The assaulting force captured a redoubt and some trenches which the Germans had constructed after their advance against the northeast front of Verdun. Two hundred German prisoners were also taken by the French.

The artillery duel on the west bank of the Meuse continued throughout the night. The French attack at Vaux was preceded by a terrific bombardment of the German positions. Artillery drenched the trenches with shells, driving the Germans into subterranean refuges and clearing the way for the infantry assault.

The Germans lost heavily, as in all the fighting that has marked the second conflict of Verdun. It was estimated today that in the conflict of the last week 20,000 Teuton soldiers have fallen on the blood-drenched soil near the Meuse.

The text of the French official communique follows:

"In the Argonne, at Haute Chevauchee, a conflict with mines resulted to our advantage. We exploded a small mine, which destroyed subterranean works of the enemy.

"On the left bank of the Meuse the bombardment of our second line continued throughout the night.

"On the right bank our troops yesterday evening sharply attacked the German positions to the northwest of Vaux pond. This attack enabled us to occupy trench elements and to capture a fortified redoubt. In the course of this action, which caused the enemy serious losses, we captured ten officers, 16 sub-officers, and 214 soldiers. In addition we took many rapid fire guns and a large quantity of material.

"In the Woevre region our artillery concentrated its fire upon the enemy's lines of communication.

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Russians Chase 50,000 Turks

Special to International News Service and London Daily News.

Petrograd, April 20.—The Russian pursuit of the Turks continues without a minute's respite. Blow after blow is being delivered to the Turks, who are being dislodged from every front where they had hoped to consolidate a position.

The seizure of Trebizond occurred much earlier than even the most optimistic here has anticipated.

All the land and sea forces in the Caucasus shared in the triumph. After a bombardment by warships, troops were landed on the flank of Trebizond, turning and enveloping it on three sides.

The battle was most sanguinary. The Turkish garrison of 50,000 and field troops finally fled in three directions, the majority moving westward and southeastward.

The other Russian troops at Erzingan, Bitlis and Urmia, attacking incessantly, threatened the Turks' communications and prevented them from concentrating on Trebizond.

WAR SUMMARY

The international situation centred today at Berlin. The imperial German government has before it the choice offered by President Wilson—to change its submarine warfare or lose our friendship.

The international strain must ease or snap. Other nations, neutral and allied both, are waiting for Berlin's answer with deepest concern. England is particularly anxious. The American crisis overlops in popular interest even British Cabinet troubles over the conscription issue, judging by the space given it in the London press. England willingly leaps to the conclusion that President Wilson's ultimatum means war between the United States and Germany, an outcome naturally agreeable to the British viewpoint.

A Copenhagen dispatch says that the German military attache at Berne, Switzerland, has been recalled, with unofficial explanation that there is friction between Berlin and Berne on account of non-delivery of Krupp artillery Switzerland had bought.

The allies' headquarters at Salonica, Greece, is receiving reports of massacres of Greek residents of Turkey, beginning on April 11 at Adrianople, with later massacres at Smyrna and Constantinople. The Ottoman authorities are credited by the allies with inciting the slaughter, with Bulgarian troops said to have been concerned in the Adrianople killings.

The Paris Communique today on the battle of Verdun reported a successful night attack by French troops at Vaux, with capture of a redoubt and some new German trenches, also 200 prisoners. On the west bank of the Meuse the artillery keeps up an incessant duel.

U. S. FAR AHEAD IN FINANCIAL RESOURCES

By H. J. DODGE,
International News Service Correspondent.

Washington, April 20. — With her wealth the greatest of any nation in the world and her national debt less than that of any belligerent power, the United States today stands in a state of adequate financial preparedness for a long war.

In this connection, financiers who have studied the European struggle predict that the nation which can borrow the last hundred million dollars will win the war.

At the outbreak of the European war, the United States occupied an enviable position, so far as national wealth and national debt were concerned, today her position is entirely changed, because while the belligerent countries have burned up themselves with war loans the United States has been free from the unsapping influence of increasing debt.

As European war has caused the belligerents to add about $25,000,000,000 to their national indebtedness, and as the race for financial supremacy the United States has a $22,000,000,000 lead, she has favor, in addition to the lead she held at the beginning of the struggle.

Should this country be plunged into the war, she will prove the nation able to throw the last hundred million into the balance.

War loans of the belligerents have totalled $11,021,000,000, of which $850,000,000 was floated in the United States. Loans of neutral countries also largely to the war, have totalled $275,250,000, of which $81,000,000 was floated in the United States.

Germany and her allies are spending $50,000,000 a day to maintain the war. England and her allies are spending $50,000,000 a day for this purpose. Every day, therefore, sees the United States in an increasingly strong position to meet the exigency, if things comes for her to plunge into the struggle.

How U. S. Compares in National Wealth With Other Nations

Following is a comparison of the wealth and indebtedness of the United States and other nations:

LIABILITIES

Country	National Debt	War Debt	Interest
United States	$1,344,000,000	None	$21,309,000
England	2,485,000,000	$7,284,000,000	119,000,000
Germany	1,177,000,000	8,925,000,000	84,000,000
France	6,344,000,000	7,913,000,000	186,000,000
Russia	4,537,000,000	3,148,000,000	207,000,000
Austria	1,047,000,000	2,731,000,000	47,000,000

RESOURCES

Country	Annual Revenues	National Wealth
United States	$1,007,000,000	$187,740,000,000
England	918,000,000	85,000,000,000
Germany	879,000,000	80,000,000,000
France	914,000,000	50,000,000,000
Russia	1,832,000,000	40,000,000,000
Austria	120,000,000	25,000,000,000

SUGGEST CZAR FERDINAND QUIT

By International News Service.

London, April 20.—The correspondent of the London Daily News at Rome sends the following dispatch:

"The abnormality of the king of Bulgaria, who is a source of suffering to the country in the Austro-Germans is increasing and his abdication is openly suggested as the only remedy to emancipate Bulgaria from Austro-German domination."

SWISS TO CHARTER AMERICAN SHIPS

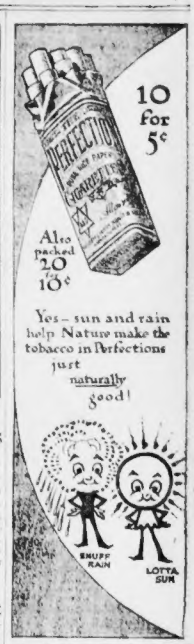
Berne, April 20.—The Swiss government has directed its commercial department to charter a number of neutral steamers, especially Spanish, exclusively for Swiss importations from the United States and Argentina. The names of the steamers and the sailing schedule will be communicated to belligerents for the purpose of preventing erroneous attacks.

SUGAR NOT TO BE PUT ON FREE LIST

Washington, April 20.—Senate Democrats, in conference, decided to enact into law the House bill repealing the provision in the Underwood-Simmons tariff law which would have placed sugar on the free list May 1, 1916.

ADVANCE FRENCH CLOCKS ONE HOUR

Paris, April 19.—The Chamber of Deputies had decided to advance the official time in France one hour. It is expected that by this action huge economies will be made through the saving of daylight.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Made of heavy messaline with ruffle plaited flare, flounce, and heavy cotton underjar, with a plaited flare flounce at top; good full skirts, in red only.

Easter Attire for Girls

Our tables and reels are brimful of new spring attire for girls of all ages — from the particular young junior to the small tot just able to walk. And the prices for this sale will be found even more interesting than the goods themselves.

$9.98 Junior Suits..$7.50

Of the new shepherd check materials, in the very newest styles, neatly trimmed, with pretty collars and cuffs to match; sizes 13 to 17.

$12.50 Junior Suits $10

Made of all wool serges and shepherd checks in all the new shades, neatly trimmed with pretty contrasting colors; sizes 13 to 17.

White Dresses $3.98

Of very fine quality lawn with pretty lace and hamburg insertions, for communion and confirmation; sizes 6 to 16.

Children's Coats...$1.98

Of pretty shepherd checks and serges. Made in the very newest styles with pretty collars to match, sizes 2 to 6 years.

Children's Coats ..$3.98

In the newest and smartest up-to-date styles in all the new materials and colors, with pretty silk and some P. K. collars, sizes 6 to 14 years.

Housewear

$1.00 Long Crepe Kimonos 79c

A special lot of only 240 of these beautiful kimonos. In empire styles with sateen ribbon trimmings, in a large assortment of pretty patterns to select from. Extra wide and long, in all sizes.

$1.25 Percale Dresses 89c

In an assortment of pretty styles, trimmed with pique, lace and some contrasting colors of chambrays. These garments are perfect in fit and in a good assortment of pretty stripes or checks. All sizes to 46.

Easter Waists of Value

There is a great profusion of sheer and fluffy styles for Easter wear, and an immense variety of the simpler and more practical waists for business. At our special reorganization sale prices every woman should buy two more at this time.

$6.98 Georgette Crepe Blouses $5.98

With the new handkerchief frill, either dainty embroidered or edged with color. Lace combined with georgette crepe. In many new styles, also plainer blouses of heavy crepe de chine in dainty effects. All colors.

$4.98 Lace and Faille Silk Waists $3.98

Combined in the new bodice effect, daintily colorings, georgette crepe waists in plain styles with touches of embroidery and crepe de chines with frills, also with inserts of white lace.

$2.98 Tub Silks $2.00

Many new styles, new large open lace, satin stripes in all colors, heavy Jap silk, semi-tailored styles, trimmed with large pearl buttons.

$2.98 Dainty Lingerie Blouses $2.00

New tinted batists in pastel shades, hand embroidered styles, also hand smocked styles, short sleeves in tucked effects. All the new large collars and frill effects.

Boys' Smart Easter CLOTHING

Boy' Spring Reefers $4.98

Light weight, ages 3 to 8 years; very stylish and durable, in blue serges, shepher checks and handsome novelt mixtures.

$7.50 to $8.50 Suits $6.49

Ages 8 to 18 years all wool, blue sergs and mixed patterns. Both knickerbocker lined and taped throughout.

Boys' $6.50 Easter Suits $4.98

Sizes 2 to 18 years. Made of sturdy wool yarns, in pretty mixed patterns of gray, brown and tan. Many have an extra pair of full lined knickers.

Boys' $2.50 Reefers $1.98

Spring weight, ages 3½ to 8 years. One hundred coats only. A splendid assortment of good wearing mixtures and shepherd plaids.

Easter MILLINERY

Do Not Overlook the Importance of These Last Days Before Easter

We have pictured three hats from the splendid assortment of new styles offered for the week-end at popular prices. Each hat in the vast collection has a different trim, and carries with it a distinction and style seldom found in hats at these prices.

OUR MILLINERY IS SECOND TO NONE IN NEW ENGLAND

Stylish FOOTWEAR for Easter

Women, Children and Men-Folks Can Buy at Special Prices

Men's $6 Oxfords **$4.50**
Our "Heywood" make, very high class goods, new shapes, in all leathers.

Men's Shoes.... **$2.98**
The Ide & Hutchins make, in oxfords and regular styles, tan and all leathers, some with rubber soles.

Women's $5.00 Dressy Shoes.... **$3.69**
In tans and oxfords, also pretty pumps, very best makes, our "Lenox" brands.

Women's "Columbia" Shoes **$2.58**
We have a most complete line of pumps and oxfords, in all leathers, including white Colonial pumps.

Women's Pumps and Oxfords.... **$1.69**
White canvas, a splendid stock, all sizes.

Special attractions on our Shoe Bargain Counters every day this week.

Watch This Expert Demonstrator→

Learn to "Roll Your Own" with "Bull" Durham Today

The Fads of 1916!

You've Learned to Dance

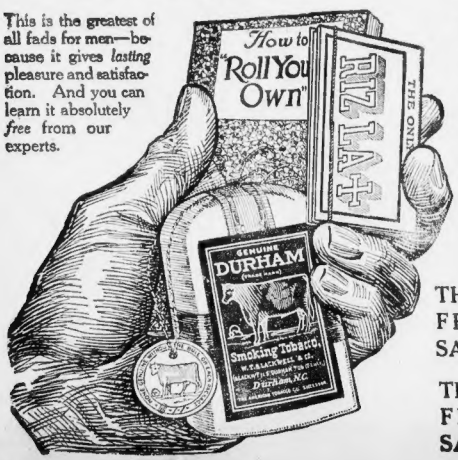
And you've paid well for lessons to enable you to keep up with the new steps.

You've Learned to Skate

And it costs a lot of money to learn the fancy movements which the fad calls for.

Now—Learn to "Roll Your Own" "Bull" Durham Cigarettes—FREE

This is the greatest of all fads for men—because it gives *lasting* pleasure and satisfaction. And you can learn it absolutely *free* from our experts.



Free Lessons Given by Experts at the Stores Named Below

Our Flying Squadron of expert cigarette rollers has arrived! At the leading stores these "Bull" Durham demonstrators are ready today to teach you, *absolutely free,* the manly art of "rolling your own" with "Bull" Durham.

It's the fad of the year—the smart, lively fad that is sweeping the country like a whirlwind.

Every man envies the ease and dexterity with which a "roll your own" smoker produces his sack of "Bull" Durham and rolls this famous old tobacco into a smooth, fresh, fragrant cigarette. Today—visit the "Bull" Durham demonstrators and *learn the art for yourself—FREE!*

GENUINE

"BULL" DURHAM

SMOKING TOBACCO

In no other way can you get so much solid enjoyment out of a cigarette as by "rolling your own" with "Bull" Durham.

Men of action and energy the world over are rolling "Bull" Durham into cigarettes, because they have found that there is more crisp, brisk, youthful vigor in this wonderful tobacco than in any other made.

Its mellow-sweet flavor and unique aroma give them supreme satisfaction.

FREE At the stores named below you will be taught free the great fad of "rolling your own" "Bull" Durham cigarettes. And you will also receive *free,* with a 5c sack of "Bull" Durham, a 5c book of famous Riz La Croix cigarette papers and a booklet showing how to "roll your own." Visit one of these stores *today.*

THURSDAY, APRIL 20
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382 Dudley Street,
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P. ASSNER & CO.
1865 Washington Street
ROXBURY, MASS.

SUSPEND SUSPECT AFTER GIRL'S STORY

Pending an investigation, Frank Pelletier, a Salem police chauffeur, was today suspended by City Marshal Harrigan. Pelletier is named by Miss Mary Morin, twenty-three, housekeeper for William Caron of Washington street, Lynn, as being concerned in an attack on her Monday night. Miss Morin was found unconscious and the gas was turned on in every room. She said $23 was taken from her clothing.

CONTINUE CHELSEA VOTE FRAUD INQUIRY

The illegal registration inquest scheduled for today in the Chelsea court, was continued until May 19 by Judge Bosson, as a petition for a writ of prohibition is now under advisement by Judge DeCourcey of the Supreme Court. The petition for the inquest was brought by former Alderman Harry W. James, while the petition for the prohibiting writ was presented by Alderman Hugh J. McLaughlin, both of Chelsea. The twenty witnesses who are to appear at the inquest, were today held in $50 each until May 1.

DANCE TO BENEFIT JEWISH WAR FUND

The Jolly Boys Association will give its third annual dance at Parker Memorial Hall tomorrow night. Part of the proceeds will be given to the Jewish War Sufferers. The officers of the dance are Abraham Wasserman, chief marshal; Harry A. Aaronson, marshal; Henry Jacobs, treasurer; James Kaplan, floor director; Samuel Brown, assistant floor director; Ben Baker, chief of aides.

BRITISH CAPTAIN ILL AT HOSPITAL

Captain Robert Leslie of the Hackball liner Katul, which arrived today from the East Indies, was rushed to the City Hospital, suffering from heart trouble, dropsy and rheumatism. He is not expected to live. His family at Shields, England, was notified.

Jumbo's Mate Put to Death.

Bridgeport, Ct., April 20.—After sixty years as a valuable asset in American circuses, Lena, mate of the famous Jumbo, was adjudged useless for show purposes and was strangled to death at the Barnum & Bailey Winter quarters here.

BELIEVE FIRE SET TO COVER ROBBERY

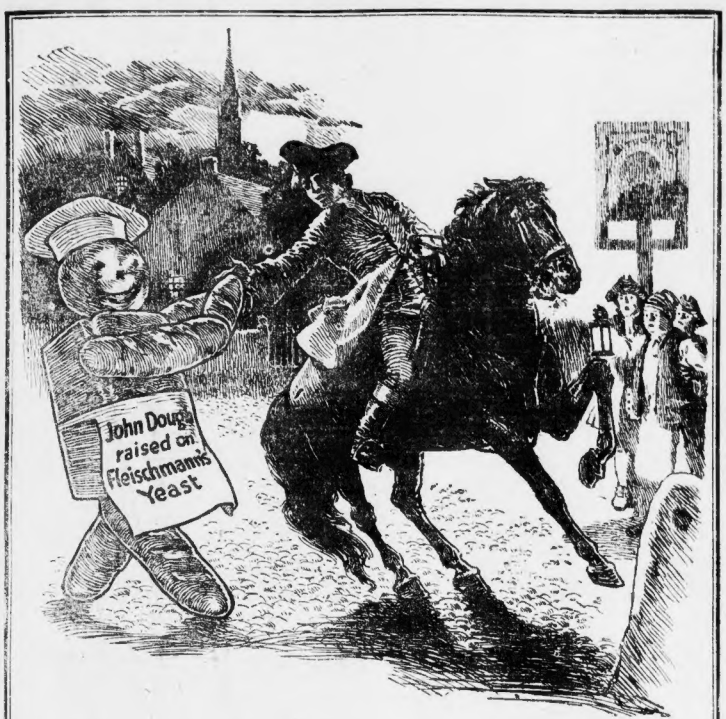
THINKS BODY OF ARNOLD GIRL REMOVED

Providence Man Missing.

Providence, April 20.—Leaving his home at No. 246 Charlestone avenue, Saturday afternoon, James Potter, 45 years old, manager for the New Haven Gas and Fuel Company, Providence, has disappeared, and his wife today reported the fact to the police. Potter left home at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and has not been seen since. He left no word as to his destination, and his wife has no idea where he has gone. Potter is described as being 5 feet 8 inches tall, weighing about 160 pounds, and having a dark complexion. He was dressed in a dark suit, dark overcoat and soft hat when he left home.

New Salisbury Chief

STEAMER THOUGHT LOST, SAFE IN PORT



The Ride of Paul Revere

When Paul Revere thundered by the homes of patriots in '75, he sounded the call to arms which threw off oppression and tyranny.

Citizens of New England, are your homes free from the oppression of bad digestion and the tyranny of high-priced foods? If not,

EAT PLENTY of PURE BREAD

Eat more bread—the fine, pure bread made light, tasty and easy-to-digest by leavening with

Fleischmann's Yeast

—the standard leaven used by leading New England bakers for fifty years.

Cut down on the high-priced food stuffs which tax the pockets and impair the digestion and *eat plenty* of *pure bread.* As the result, you will find the scales of health going up and the high cost of living coming down.

Ask your baker or grocer for Fleischmann's new Recipe Booklet, "Good Things to Eat Made with Bread."

Only Tender Budding Leaves are blended to produce

"SALADA"

Selections from the finest gardens, properly prepared and packed with a minimum of delay, ensure a perfect tea of incomparable flavour and deliciousness. B 121

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Extraordinary Values in Dependable Clothing

During Our 27th Anniversary Sale Which Ends Saturday Night April 22nd

That's the way we take to show our appreciation to the people of New England for their generous support and patronage for over A QUARTER OF A CENTURY. It has always been the height of our ambition during our TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS OF COMMERCIAL LIFE to give with every purchase a GUARANTEE OF PERFECT SATISFACTION and in season and out to sell the same GOODS FOR LESS MONEY than others were obliged to ask for equal qualities. During this sale we have completely eclipsed all previous records and now offer VALUE, SERVICE AND ACCOMMODATION UNEQUALLED by any house in our line of trade in America. Don't waste time and money shopping around in a sea of uncertainty. BUY YOUR SPRING AND EASTER CLOTHING AT ONE OF JOYCE BROS. & CO.'S STORES WHERE SQUARENESS and FAIRNESS ARE CARDINAL PRINCIPLES.

You Don't Need to Pay Cash for Your Spring and Easter Clothing

We will gladly charge your purchases, and you may pay for them in easy partial payments as you earn the money

LADIES' SUITS

New spring suits in serge, poplin, mohair, cheviot and novelty cloths, with the new flippet, belted and tailored effects. Beautifully lined and tailored. Alterations free. Sale prices

$12.98, $16.50 Up to $22.50

LADIES' SUITS

Beautiful serviceable suits in fine serges, poplins, gabardines, shepherd plaids, taffeta and novelty mixtures. New styles, new lines. All the new effects. Tailored to expert. Tailoring to your fit guaranteed. Alterations free. Sale prices

$24.50, $27.98 Up to $35.00

MISSES' SUITS

Snappy spring suits for misses and small women at three great values. New belted serge combinations, novelty checks and plaids with full or silk lined and button trimmed. Alterations free. Sale prices

$12.50, $16.98 Up to $22.50

LADIES' COATS

Smart spring models in diagonal weaves, poplin, gabardines, serge, mohair, silk, etc., some with novelty trimmings, lined throughout, others with silk lined. The kind that appeals to discriminating women. Alterations free. Sale prices

$8.50, $14.98 Up to $25.00

LADIES' DRESSES

Beautiful new shopping dresses in serge, poplin, messaline, taffeta, crepe de chine and charmeuse. All the new colors. Suitable for everyday or party wear. Alterations free. Sale prices

$9.98, $14.50 Up to $35.00

GIRLS' COATS

Stylish Coats for girls ages 2 to 14. We show a splendid variety in the latest materials and colors. The little ones will find here just what will please her. Sale prices

$2.98, $4.98 Up to $12.50

GIRLS' DRESSES AGE 4 to 14

In percale, gingham, lingerie, lawn voile, net, organdie, etc. New and pretty styles. Suitable for school, church or everyday wear. Sale prices

$1.98, $3.98 Up to $12.00

Men's Suits

Beautiful stylish spring suits in worsteds, cheviots, serges and novelty cloths. Made by the leading manufacturers of America. The kind that stay and look right. Sizes for the long, stout, short and slim. Sale prices

$12.98, $16.50 Up to $27.50

Young Men's Suits

We show a strong line of snappy models for young men. All the new materials and colors. Tailored perfect. Fit right. You can't go wrong here. Sale prices

$12.50, $16.98 Up to $24.50

Blue Serge Suits

We show a splendid assortment of Blue Serge Suits for men and young men. Nothing is more dressy or suitable for warm weather wear. Our Blue Serges are all wool, fast color, and our prices will save you from $3.00 to $5.00 on your suit. Sale prices

$12.50, $16.98 Up to $27.50

Men's Overcoats

We show a fine line of stylish Spring OVERCOATS for men and young men. The Coats are appreciated by men who like style, but will trade elsewhere for our prices can't be beaten. Sale prices

$12.98, $17.50 Up to $27.00

BOYS' SUITS

Wash suits, stylish, durable suits for boys in great variety, await the arrival of mother and son. Every garment is a material that will stand the hard knocks. Sale prices

$1.98, $3.98 Up to $4.50

BOYS' SUITS

Boys' suits in all the new ages from 2½ to 18 years, in fancy mixtures and fancy cassimeres, double seats and knees and extra pants. Sale prices

$4.98, $6.50 Up to $9.00

OPEN EVENINGS — WE ARE COMPLETE OUTFITTERS FOR MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD — OPEN EVENINGS

LADIES' WAISTS

We exhibit a fine assortment of waists in various materials and designs, cotton, linen, embroidered voile, silk chiffon, messaline, etc. Plain and fancy trimmed.

98c to $15

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We show the distinctive fashions and lasts in millinery for ladies, misses and children, and assure you a most complete, satisfying every requirement and fancy.

$1.98 to $18

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Jordan Marsh Company

Solving the Problem of Last-Moment

Jordan Marsh Company

Belated Easter Choosing of Girls' and Misses' Suits, Coats and Dresses

The large number of styles and the great variety and completeness of these stocks make it possible, in the majority of cases, to fit Misses' Suits and Coats without alterations.

Out of 97 Misses' Suits in actual count only 12 required alterations. This test was made in the regular course of business without preparation.

These last two days we shall take special pains to deliver even Saturday purchases in time unless extensive alterations are required. Come with confidence—we shall do our best to meet your wishes.

The stock of Suits, Coats and Dresses is practically *all new within the week* and specially priced for your Easter choosing Friday and Saturday.

Are You "Suited" for Easter?

It's Likely Yours Is Here and Will Fit Without Alterations

For these last two days we have provided many models made to special measurements, so that in all probability you can be fitted even with slight alterations and your suit delivered in time

New Poplin Box Plaited Suit; checks, navy, black, 15.00

Chic Mannish Serge Suits, illustrated, smartly belted and pocketed, skirt is belted and shows much fullness at hem **18.50**

There are 23 other styles at this price.

Tailleur Vested Suits, one model illustrated; in checks, hairline stripes and heavy mannish serges, note the coat's smart flare below the waistline; several styles of skirts . . **25.00**

47 other styles at this price.

Taffeta Easter Suits, one model illustrated; excellent quality, all colors, ruffled trimming on coat, skirt gives youthfulness and individuality; also serge and cloth suits **29.50**

Many other styles at this price.

Other Misses' Easter Suits 15.00 to 55.00.

Three Smart Easter Coats

An Achievement in Bolivia Cloth That Cannot be Duplicated

To the best of our knowledge no one in New England has produced a coat in the much-sought-for Bolivia cloth to retail for less than 35.00. This is another triumph of practical specialization: Misses' Bolivia Cloth Coats, illustrated on the right in soft rich brown, green and navy; also in oyster gray and champagne; peau de cygne lined, detachable shantung over collar **29.50**

All Wool Velour Sport Coats, corduroy collar, for 15.00

Beautiful Silk Easter Coats of gros de Londres or satin sublime, illustrated in the centre, some brocaded satin lining, detachable collar and cuffs of white faille; smocked and belted back **29.50**

19 other styles at 29.50.

Marabou Trimmed Coats, illustrated on the right, of all wool poplin in tan, blue, black and reseda green, peau de cygne lined; a remarkable coat at this price **15.00**

35 other styles at 15.00.

Other Misses' Easter Coats from 8.75 to 55.00.

Choosing the New Dresses

For Commencement Week

Misses' White Embroidered Net Dresses, one illustrated on the right, graduated dots, embroidered on the double tier skirt, fine net vestee on waist. **15.00**

Misses' Afternoon Dresses, one illustrated on the left is in taffeta, rose, gray, copen and navy, with crepe Georgette blouse **18.50**

Misses' Georgette Crepe Dresses, with the new Farrar collar, crepe de chine trimmed. **16.75**

Easter Hats

6 to 18 Years

Misses' Hats, in lisere, leghorns, Milans and Milan hemp, are . . . . . 7.00 to 15.00

These three are illustrated below:

Child's Fine Milan Hat, with black velvet bow and streamers, black, navy, copenhagen, sand, rose, white 3.00

Child's Pat. Milan Hat, telescope crown, velvet ribbon bow and streamers, berry and foliage trimmed, in black, navy, dark green 3.50

Child's Hemp Hat, eight velvet bands radiate from velvet rosette on crown, and are fastened at the other end with tiny rosebuds 1.75

School Hats of Hemp are 1.25 to 3.50.

Your Easter Skirt

Many Attractive Models

Keep always in mind that we specialize on separate skirts for misses and carry complete lines of dress and sports models.

Perhaps you have an odd coat—let us suggest a skirt to go with it. There are many smart styles in striped shantung, soire silk, taffeta, washable satin, washable woolen or knitback. 3.95 to 18.50

Misses' Skirt Special, in wide wale corduroy, new flap pockets; in white, rose, blue, green and rookie **5.00**

Easter Blouses

Modestly Priced

Practical, pretty and embodying the newest style thought in this blouse of crepe de chine, illustrated. Piped with washable silk; in white and pastel shades 3.95

A stunning blouse, has a striped Georgette collar in copenhagen, mahogany and black 5.95

Another Georgette Blouse is attractively edged and trimmed with Irish braiding—in flesh and white . . 10.00!

Other Misses' Blouses 1.00 to 22.50

Girls' Easter Coats & Dresses

Girls' Smart Coat, in serges and checks, with crush silk belt and silk collar. **6.75**

Girls' Tailored Coat, velvet collar, mohair lined; a very pretty model in navy and checks. **10.00**

Girls' Silk Dress, in rose or green taffeta, Empire style; very pretty for girls 6 to 10 years. **8.75**

Girls' Silk Dress, in intermediate sizes for girls 12 to 16 yrs. One of many pretty styles illustrated. **12.50**

Girls' Full Coat, with detachable faille collar in serges and checks; belted model, with yoke. **8.75**

Girls' Belted Coat, full back, detachable moire silk collar, in serges and checks. **7.50**

Girls' Coats, including intermediate sizes, in an attractive variety, in flare effect, full length 12.50

Girls' Serge Coats, lined, two distinct styles, 6 to 14 years 6.00

Girls' Chiffon Party Dresses, beruffled, beribboned with velvet and rosebud trimmed 12.00

Girls' Attractive Easter Party Dresses, chiffon or taffeta, pink and blue 15.00

Other Party and Afternoon Dresses for Girls and Intermediates, 7.50 to 18.50

Notes on the Juvenile Floor

Misses' Easter Petticoats of taffeta in the new fancy colors and changeable effects, 3.95.

Misses' Avon Broche Corsets, firmly boned for girls of full figure, 6-garter, 3.00.

Misses' Bronze Boots for Easter wear, in two attractive new models, 4.00 and 5.00.

Misses' Easter Gloves, in 1-clasp, real kid, spear and Paris point embroidery, at 1.15 a pair.

The Misses' sweater stock is full to overflowing with the prettiest and newest knitted coats—plenty of silks. Misses' and children's Sweaters, 1.95 to 37.50.

Misses' new crepe de chine negligees for Easter, beautiful colorings, 5.95 to 22.50.

Beautiful quality black and colored silk hosiery for Misses and Girls, 1.00 and 1.50.

Misses' New Spring Oxfords for Easter, in patent colt, gun metal calf and tan Russia calf, spring heels, 11½ to 13; low heels, 13½ to 2, 2.75.

Third Floor Main Store

Jordan Marsh Company

Our Great Juvenile Floor

SLAIN NEEDHAM WOMAN FEARED FARMHAND

Mrs. Anna Pearson of Needham, who was shot to death in her home while defending her honor, had been afraid of Gustav Oscar Pearson, her husband's farmhand, who is now sought by both Needham and State police in connection with the murder.

Mrs. Pearson had expressed fear of the farmhand to her husband, Augustus Pearson. She had also told a woman friend that she was afraid of Gustav. She told this friend her reasons for that fear.

The farmhand had worked for Augustus Pearson six months. He is about thirty-two years old, small, with dark complexion, with prominent nose and chin, deepset dark eyes, small black moustache and Swedish accent.

Charles Carlson, a State ward, seven years old, who lives at the Pearson farm, told the police that on Tuesday afternoon he peeked in a kitchen window of the farmhouse and saw a man climb out of a window opposite.

"Who was it?" the boy was asked. He replied: "The milk man."

The little fellow always called the farmhand Gustav "the milk man," because he milked the cows. The boy says he watched the man walk away. Then the boy went in the house and found his "mamma," as he called Mrs. Pearson, on the dining room floor. He ran to a factory half a mile away and told Foreman Thomas Roper.

Roper came to the farm and found Mrs. Pearson dead. Her body, with its disordered clothing, was under a couch cover. She had been shot through the head. An old-fashioned pistol, with two of its four shells discharged, was nearby on the floor. On the kitchen sink was a blood-stained wash-rag.

Dies at Age of 102.

Pittsfield, April 19.—Mrs. Oppoline Rheault, 102 years and 5 months old, is dead. She was active until a few weeks ago.

TEUTONS DECIDE ON NEW MOVE IN WAR

Copenhagen, April 20. — The Tagliche Rundschau of Berlin learns that the Imperial Chancellor, Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, and Baron Von Burian, the Austro-Hungarian Minister of Foreign Affairs, have reached important decisions relating to the economic war against the Entente. No intimation is given of what these decisions are.

CALL CONFERENCE ON TURKISH CRISIS

Amsterdam, April 19.—Immediately upon learning of the capture of Trebizond by the Russians, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German Chancellor, summoned the Turkish ambassador to Germany for a conference, probably with the Kaiser, says a dispatch from Berlin. German correspondents on the frontier express the fear that the fall of Trebizond will demoralize the Turks and force them to ask for a separate peace.

"TIZ" FOR FEET

Instant Relief for Sore, Tired, Tender Feet; for Swollen, Calloused Feet and Corns

You're foot-sick! Your feet feel tired, puffed up, chafed, aching, sweaty, and they need "Tiz."

"Tiz" makes feet remarkably fresh and sore-proof. "Tiz" takes the pain and burn right out of corns, calluses and bunions. "Tiz" is the grandest foot-gladdener the world has ever known.

Get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" at any drug store and end foot torture for a whole year. Never have tired, aching, sweaty, smelly feet; your shoes will fit fine and you'll only wish you had tried "Tiz" sooner. Accept no substitute.

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Friday and Saturday **Furniture Specials**

Free Delivery of Goods.

The Osgood Guarantee to Customers: *Following our usual custom of protecting our credit customers against possible loss and hardship, we remind them that we give a receipted bill in full on balances due on credit accounts up to $500 in case of a customer's death, as per our printed agreement on lease.*

Couch Hammocks . 8.75

Couch Hammocks

Without Awning and Steel Frames

Exactly Like Illustration

Made of 12-ounce Khaki duck, strongly reinforced where the strain comes. Couch is 6 ft. long and 2 ft. 6 in. wide, and has National iron springs. It is also supplied with Khaki mattress and windshield. Regular price $12.00. Our price Friday and Saturday **8.75**

EXTRAS IF DESIRED.

Awnings $3.75 to $5.50—Angle Iron Frame $2.75

Other Hammocks $4.75 to $14.50

These Beds In All Sizes.

Brass Beds Like cut; 2-inch posts, velvet finish. Regular price $30.00. Our price Friday and Saturday **19.85**

Electric Floor Lamps We are showing many handsome designs in the new popular electric floor lamps, from . . . **25.00 to 75.00**

Your Credit Is Good at Osgood's

Dressers Like cut; mahogany, quartered oak, birdseye maple, walnut or luna mahogany; bevel French plate mirror. Regular price $30.00. Our price Friday and Saturday . . . **19.85**

We keep open Saturday evenings.

Dressing Tables Exactly likely illustration; golden oak; large bevel French plate mirror; a real bargain. Regular price $10. Friday and Saturday **7.85**

Dressers Like illustration; golden oak; divided top drawers; bevel French plate mirror. Regular price $12. Our price Friday and Saturday **8.95**

When in Doubt--Buy of Osgood

THE C. E. OSGOOD CO.

THREATEN LYNCHING FOR SLAYER OF THE CLARK BOY

STOCKS AND INVESTMENTS

By W. H. ROSS

D. A. R. ELECTS [illegible] WOOD BY CLOSE VOTE

Wife Complains of Spankings and Ice Water 'Alarm'

TROOPS WOUND [illegible] IN STRIKE BATTLE

[illegible] DENIES HIS DESIRE FOR [illegible]

Father John's Medicine

contains the exact kind of nourishment needed by those who have throat troubles and are weak and run down, and this tissue building food is easily taken up by the system. That is why it is best for colds and as a tonic in the Spring.

No weakening stimulants or dangerous drugs.—Advertisement.

Wants U. S. Delegate

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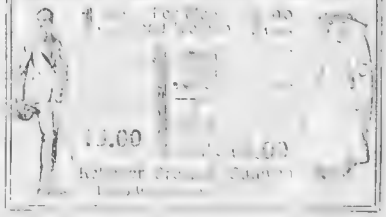
DYNAMITE KILLS TWO MAINE MEN

75 ELECTRICIANS IN SALEM STRIKE

HELD FOR ENTERING SOUTH BOSTON HOME

Quality Clothing on Credit



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GATELY'S EASTER SHOWING

An Opportunity You Can't Afford to Miss

There is no real good excuse why you cannot have a New Suit for Easter, we are not giving them away—but—

We Will Charge Your Purchases at Your Own Terms

Ladies' Suits

Poplins, Gabardines and Serges. A variety of styles and colors. Quality guaranteed and prices within the reach of everyone

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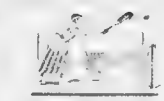

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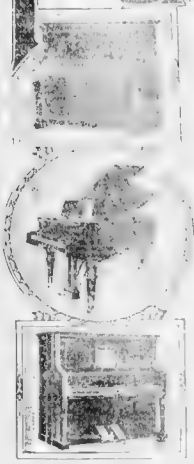

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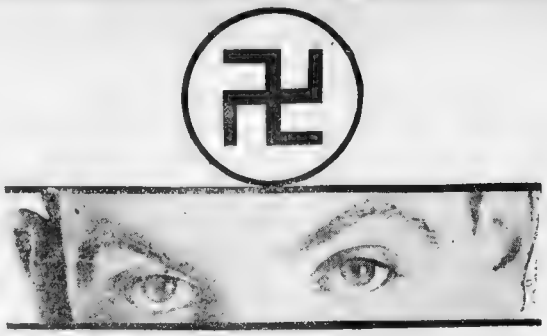

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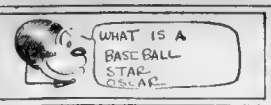

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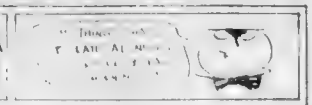

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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

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Boston. 5 4 .714

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Boston at Philadelphia.

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American Association.

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Racing Results and Entries

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

Hasbrouck

BIG BIKE WIN FOR WILEY

Syra

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Hillman to Stay at Dartmouth Until 1921

By International News Service
NEW YORK, April 20.—Henry Hoyt

On account of his

TED LEWIS HAS SNAP WITH MASTER ABEL

GIANTS DRAW BIG CROWD FOR OPENER

New York, April 20.—Even though we are in the cellar the Giants are Giants still at the hearth of the

Hare de Grace Entries

SIDELIGHTS

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WHILE the temperature was better

PRESIDENT TANNIN said that he

HARRY HOOPER looks to be a bet-

MUAN caught several innings with the

WILLIAMS was injured on the base

SCOTT is doing great work and can

MOELLER made a fine try for

PITCHER L. A. DAVIS has been

MOELLER got a clean hit in the

HENRIKSEN didn't do much with

JANVRIN'S work at first base has

THE following pl

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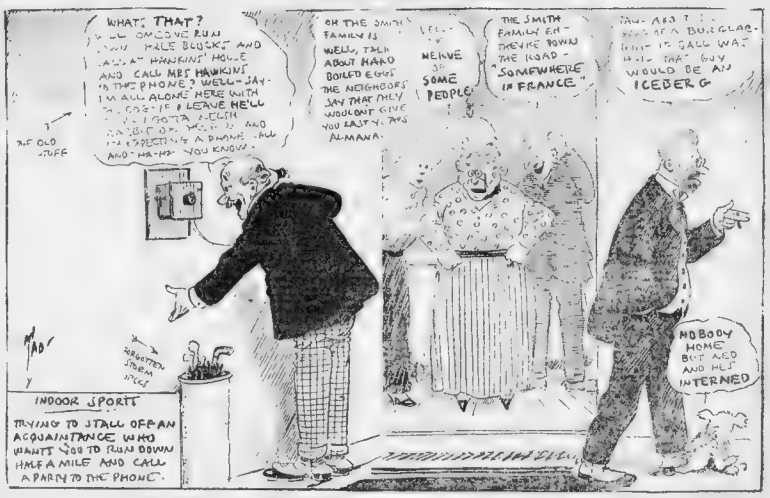
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THE OLD STUFF
OH THE SMITH FAMILY IS WELL, TALK ABOUT HARD BOILED EGGS THE NEIGHBORS SAY THAT THEY WOULDN'T GIVE YOU LAST YR'S ALMANAC
MEANE SOME PEOPLE
THE SMITH FAMILY EH - THEY'RE DOWN THE ROAD - "SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE"
SAY, ARE YOU AFRAID OF A BURGLAR - IF SALLY WAS HERE THAT GUY WOULD BE AN ICEBERG
NOBODY HOME BUT ALFRED AND HE'S INTERNED
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It was the Brooklyns' best win and

THE Red Sox and Nationals went

THREE pitchers could not save the

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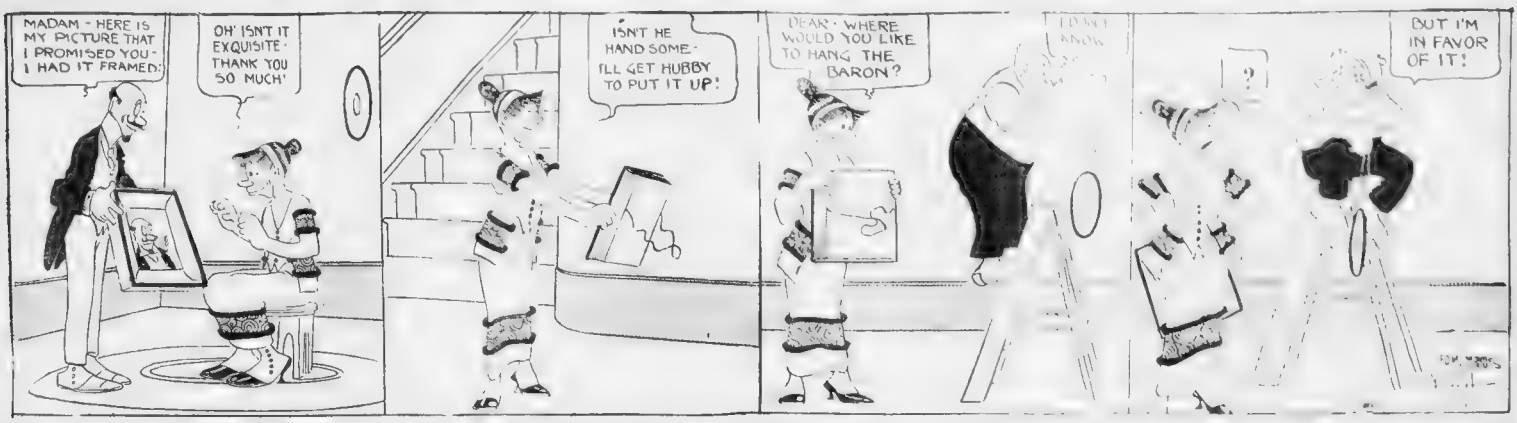
MADAM - HERE IS MY PICTURE THAT I PROMISED YOU - I HAD IT FRAMED!
OH! ISN'T IT EXQUISITE - THANK YOU SO MUCH!
ISN'T HE HANDSOME - I'LL GET HUBBY TO PUT IT UP!
DEAR - WHERE WOULD YOU LIKE TO HANG THE BARON?
I DON'T KNOW
BUT I'M IN FAVOR OF IT!

White-Leonard Match Fred Welsh for Winner

By ED W SMITH.

CHICAGO, April 20.—If you had a boxing club in a good centre and want[illegible] of the real attractions of the season, what would you [illegible]

[illegible] There's an old dream of [illegible] would get you [illegible] and [illegible]

[illegible] That's the [illegible]

They want to get somebody to beat Freddie Welsh, don't they? Almost every fan would like to see the title change hands, because Fred has had it long enough and doesn't seem anxious to defend it in a regular championship [illegible] over a distance of ground.

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If they [illegible] to round them [illegible] of a chance for Fred W[illegible] to meet the winner [illegible]

Why not [illegible] an ideal situation [illegible] everybody wants to see.

Miah Murrays Land First in Two Events

Washington, April 20—The annual tournament of the Atlantic Coast Bowling Assoc[illegible] came to a close

Barring of Ouimet Looks Trifle Unjust

By TOM THORP

ANOTHER amusing blotch has [illegible] amateur. This latest discovery [illegible] mittee of the U. S. A. A. [illegible]

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Girl Workers Who Win Out

The Story of [illegible] Who Succeeded

By [illegible]

S[illegible]

She [illegible] when A[illegible] dreaded [illegible] cause [illegible] her [illegible] time [illegible]

"Just [illegible] ing," Sarah [illegible] Anne [illegible] pertly pret[illegible] mouth that [illegible] She wore [illegible] tabl[illegible] silk [illegible] Alice [illegible] told her [illegible] Mable [illegible] first and [illegible] was not [illegible] coming from the lips of Anne [illegible] Tolley, who [illegible] born as she [illegible] then and [illegible] was pret[illegible]

Sarah visited all the [illegible] bureau [illegible] worn [illegible] and emp[illegible] as neat[illegible] her eyes [illegible] had her she[illegible] black on the [illegible] glass in the [illegible] her a neat[illegible] remarkable [illegible] ready [illegible] that was a [illegible]

But, oh, [illegible] traction that [illegible] fortunate sisters, though[illegible] on the [illegible] went up [illegible] one of the[illegible] a vacant [illegible] She [illegible] success. [illegible] line of [illegible] sunk at [illegible] a little[illegible] many of [illegible] girl just [illegible] sheer [illegible] when she [illegible] went to [illegible] She was [illegible] Sarah [illegible] Cornelius [illegible] Nesbitt [illegible] to a few [illegible] three of [illegible] girl she [illegible] private [illegible] her ear [illegible] the girl [illegible] teen dis[illegible]

Mary [illegible] minute [illegible] The time [illegible] other kind [illegible] air of [illegible] dubiously.

She had [illegible] bled into [illegible] looked [illegible] the little [illegible] Boo chair. She was [illegible] her all [illegible] that had [illegible] neat bad[illegible] tie hat as[illegible]

"You [illegible] ally with [illegible] think you[illegible] dollars [illegible] begin [illegible] was about [illegible] not even [illegible] handed a [illegible] What [illegible] any now?

Corroborated

Some [illegible] Loos a lit[illegible] on seven[illegible] trenches, [illegible] nearly up[illegible] London to [illegible] again, when [illegible] would ex[illegible] ret[illegible] to hi[illegible] the Scot[illegible] bawbee[illegible]

The off[illegible] handed [illegible] after hearing [illegible] sent him on to a third one. "This went on till Sandy had gone right through t[illegible] all the o[illegible] to the first [illegible] that he was [illegible] ing until he[illegible] This story [illegible] Office gentle[illegible] round on [illegible] with the [illegible] give us more [illegible] English [illegible] comb had [illegible] "Most [illegible] what Cromwell [illegible]

Spring Literature

(The Story of Spring)

By NELL BRINKLEY

NOW a Pan of [illegible] the [illegible] up the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Krazy Kat

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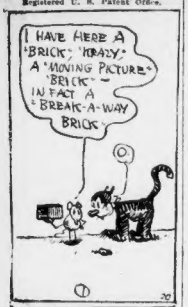
I HAVE HERE A "BRICK," "KRAZY," A "MOVING PICTURE" "BRICK" — IN FACT A BREAK-A-WAY BRICK
IT IS SOFT, AND WHEN IT HITS ANY BODY IT BREAKS INTO A THOUSAND PIECES.
OH, A GENTLE BRICK, HUH?
FOR INSTANCE —
POW!!
ZIP
"IGNATZ" WAS WRONG ABOUT THIS BRICK.

Kabibble Kabaret

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DEAR MR. KABIBBLE, MY FIANCE, WHO IS A TRAVELING SALESMAN, IS NOW ON THE ROAD. SHOULD I HOCK MY ENGAGEMENT RING TILL HE RETURNS?

I SUPPOSE IF IT CANT BE HOCKED, HE HAD BETTER NOT RETURN!

BARON BEAN

So Near, but Quite a Bit Too Far

ABIE THE AGENT

The Stenographer Must Be Kidding, Says Abe

THE WHOLE TROUBLE IS I COULDNT DROP UP THE CASE NOW AGAINST MINSK — HE GOT A LAWYER WHAT MIXES YOU UP AND I DONT KNOW WHAT I'M ENSWERING HALF THE TIME!
MR. KABIBBLE, IF YOU WEREN'T IN MR. MINSK'S HOUSE THAT NIGHT, WHERE WERE YOU?
THAT I'LL ENSWER YOU POSITIVE SURE. I WAS THE WHOLE NIGHT IN COONEY ISLAND WITH A TREVELING BUYER FROM SALT LAKE CITY, UTICA
A FEW MOMENTS AGO YOU SAID YOU WERE IN COONEY ISLAND THAT NIGHT!
I SAID I WAS IN COONEY ISLAND THAT NIGHT? I'M POSITIVE I NEVER ENSWERED LIKE THAT!
STENOGRAPHER, WILL YOU KINDLY READ THE QUESTION AND ANSWER I REFER TO!
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YOU HEARD THE COURT STENOGRAPHER DIDN'T YOU?
YEH — IS HE GETTING A SELERY FROM THE STATE TO MAKE FUN FROM THE PIPPLE? — I DONT SPICK A ECCENT LIKE HE JUST GAVE A TALK!

JERRY ON THE JOB

There's Always Hope, So Never Give Up

TOOT TOOT
NO USE HUSTLIN', MR. SHE'S GONE - SHE WAS ON TIME
GOSH - I GOTTA GET TO NEW MONIA. CAN'T SOMETHING BE DONE ABOUT IT?
NO CHANCE - ALL THE MONEY IN THE WORLD COULDN'T GET US TO CHANGE OUR SCHEDULE - AT'S ALL.
HEY MISTER!
THE ENGINEER FORGOT TO COAL UP — SOAN WHERE NER AY - THE EXPRESS SGOTTA COME BACK.

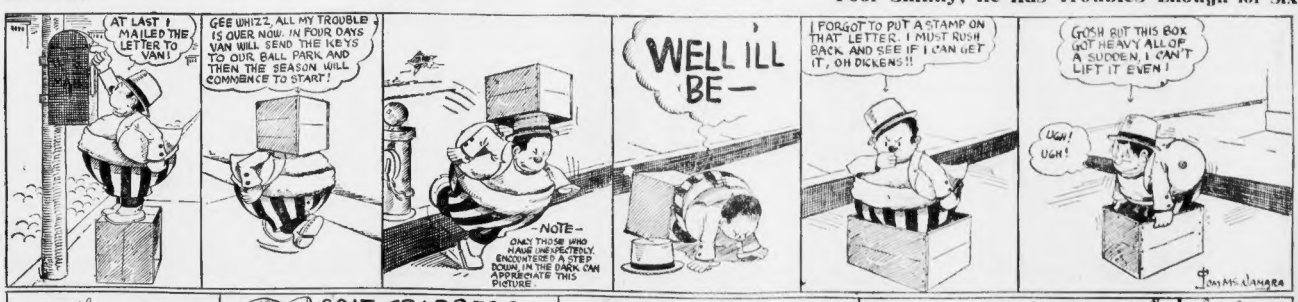
POLLY AND HER PALS

A Fair Exchange Helped Pa a Bit

Y'SEE THIS SWITCH YOUNG FELLER? WAL I JESS WHAT OUT IN THE YARD AN' CUT IT 'SPECIALLY FER YOU!
YOU SAY YOU SEEN PAW PUPPARM TO WHIP THE BABY WITH A SWITCH?
I SUTTAILY DID, ALCT TWO SECCUNTS AGO!
IF HE'S LAID HANDS ON THAT ANGEL CHILD WE'LL SQUASH HIM TO A PULP!
THAT WE WILL!
THERE NOW! ILL LEAVE IT TO YOU IF THAT AIN'T HANDIER'N THE HAMMER AN' BESIDES IT DONT HURT THE POOR OLE HORSE'S HEAD SO MUCH!
GIDDAP, GAM'PA! GOLLOP!
CLIFF STERRETT

US BOYS

Poor Skinny; He Has Troubles Enough for Six


AT LAST I MAILED THE LETTER TO VAN!
GEE WHIZZ, ALL MY TROUBLE IS OVER NOW. IN FOUR DAYS VAN WILL SEND THE KEYS TO OUR BALL PARK AND THEN THE SEASON WILL COMMENCE TO START!
-NOTE- ONLY THOSE WHO HAVE UNEXPECTEDLY ENCOUNTERED A STEP DOWN, IN THE DARK CAN APPRECIATE THIS PICTURE
WELL I'LL BE —
I FORGOT TO PUT A STAMP ON THAT LETTER. I MUST RUSH BACK AND SEE IF I CAN GET IT, OH DICKENS!!
GOSH BUT THIS BOX GOT HEAVY ALL OF A SUDDEN, I CAN'T LIFT IT EVEN!
UGH! UGH!
JOAQUIN DALRYMPLE

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FROM U. S.

WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY Shamus Shaner.

I DONT SEE WHERE THE MONEY GOES

Answer to Yesterday's

WHAT'S THE DIFF BETWEEN AN HONEST AND A DISHONEST LAUNDRESS? ONE IRONS YOUR [illegible] AND THE OTHER STEELS

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Like the poetic thing of beauty, the Rossini opera is a joy forever. And more, it has been long since Boston saw so thoroughly delightful a performance of it. Incidentally, the opera, its text and its scoring, is the one hundredth birthday, so that last night's production may be looked upon as an observance, appropriate because of its excellence of the event.

The "Barber" is the vehicle for a triumph for Maria Barrientos, the brilliant Spanish coloratura soprano. In the opera she had a Spanish role, that of Rosina, and well indeed did she sing it.

The result came in great applause for her again and again.

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In this century, Giuseppe De Luca, who sang Figaro, also charmed. As singer and actor he was equally admirable. He was a new Figaro to Boston, and deserved the hearty welcome he received. Rarely has the "Largo al factotum" been better sung here by by this artist.

Equaling the beauty of this was Barrientos' rendering of the familiar "una voce poco fa," which she sang—as in fact she did the rest of her part—with delicious spontaneity and naturalness.

Her singing of the interpolated music lesson songs was also above par.

Damacco as Almaviva did not come up to the mark set by other tenors in the role.

After the opera, Miss Galli and the ballet appeared in a divertissement.

Her Rosenkavalier was again sung by the Metropolitan company yesterday afternoon, the opera in the repetition losing none of its vigor and charm as a novelty when given its first production in Boston a week ago.

Evidence also of the interest of the opera-going public in the Strauss work was shown in the restful attention of the large and fashionable holiday audience.

The principal change was in the role of the princess, first sung here by the gray-haired Lucille Marcel Hensel. In the second performance of the opera Caruso's part fell to Melanie Kurt.

Miss Kurt has a rich and beautiful voice, but her rendering of the princess' music was not charming.

MISS ORLIN SINGS DELIGHTFULLY.

Beauty also marked the singing of Margarete Ober. She was cast as Octavian, the boy-girl (to girl-boy, if you prefer it), Octavian assuming feminine apparel for the protection of the princess.

Ober is a delectable singer and an equally delightful actress. Her entertainment is had out of her conception of the role.

Miss Edith Mason again sang Sophie. To this American girl is due much praise, and her Sophie is an exquisite operatic bit.

Otto Goritz put a lot of ginger in his acting (and his singing) as the Baron Ochs, with the result that his appearance brought infectious comedy and singing of a fine quality.

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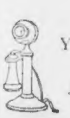

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Thursday, April 20, 1916

OUR TRUE DUTY to Suffering Humanity

MR. WILSON'S note is a peremptory ultimatum, very much in the tone of the ultimatums which Kaiser Francis Joseph and Kaiser Wilhelm distributed a year ago last July with such disastrous results.

It is much to be feared that Mr. Wilson's ultimatum may have a like disastrous result, unless the sober good sense of the American Congress can find a way to obviate the war the President seems to desire.

The comment upon the speech is as various as can be. It ranges all the way from approval to the bitter denunciation of Mr. Mann, the Republican House leader, who considers the whole speech to be merely claptrap, and thinks the performance staged for its effect upon the coming political campaign.

We do not agree with this view. We believe that the President is actuated by higher motives, that he sincerely thinks he is doing his duty by dragging the nation toward the brink of war with Germany.

It is for that very reason that we look upon Mr. Wilson's course as being so dangerous. A man who sincerely believes he is doing right in doing wrong is infinitely more likely to achieve the wrong thing than is a hypocrite.

We do not think this country should enter the European war. We are absolutely certain that a preponderant majority of the American people feel the same way that we do.

We interpret the astonishing fact that Mr. Ford has run ahead of all other competitors in Michigan and Nebraska as an expression by the people of that very sentiment.

Mr. Ford's expedition to Europe and his efforts to restore peace there, though inevitably a failure, nevertheless expressed the heartfelt desire of the people of this country.

Mr. Ford is not a candidate, and the people know that he was not a candidate.

They voted for him because it was the only way they had, and the only way they could have, TO EXPRESS THEIR OPPOSITION TO PARTICIPATION IN EUROPE'S WAR, and their earnest approval of a sincere, though unsuccessful, effort to promote peace in Europe.

And the people of every State in the Union would express the same opposition if they were given a like opportunity.

It is safe to say that Mr. Wilson's own popularity is due to the people's appreciation of his own former efforts to maintain peace.

Granting that Mr. Wilson's motives are pure, his clearly apparent desire to thrust this Nation into this European war as the ally of England and France and Russia is just as dangerous to the welfare of our own country as if the President were actuated by bad motives.

It is incomprehensible to any sensible and dispassionate American why we should get into this war now, after we have so long kept out of it. Certainly there is not a hundredth part the reason to go to war now that there was when the Lusitania was sunk. And yet we avoided war then, with no loss of either honor or self-respect.

Our obligations to ourselves and our obligations to humanity have not changed with the times. Those high and sacred obligations still urge us to use all our influence, all our persuasion, all our power, NOT TO PROLONG this awful war, but TO SHORTEN this awful war.

Our true course is not to seek an excuse to enter this maniacal conflict, but to seek diligently for every possible honorable way in which to keep out of this maniacal conflict.

Citizens, is not that the dictate of common sense?

We CAN shorten this war.

We OUGHT TO HAVE SHORTENED it long ago.

Had we combined with the other neutral nations months ago in an agreement to offer mediation, and in an agreement not to provide supplies of any kind to either nation which persisted in war when the others were willing to cease, this insane conflict would have ended long ago.

But that is past, and now a new opportunity to serve humanity is knocking at our door.

If in this crucial hour, the Congress and the people of the United States make it clearly evident that we are determined not to join either side in prolonging this war, THE WAR WILL STOP BEFORE THE SUMMER HAS GONE.

It will stop of its own volition.

It will stop from sheer exhaustion.

The only way in which this war can be kept going another year is for us to adopt the foolish and wicked course of pouring American treasure and American blood into this hell of murder and destruction.

In a just war for our liberties and our national existence, in a holy war in defense of our kindred and our homes, there are few Americans who would not go forth cheerfully to fight, and if need be, to die.

But, citizens, no man of you believes that either our liberties or our national existence or our kindred and homes are menaced by any European nation today.

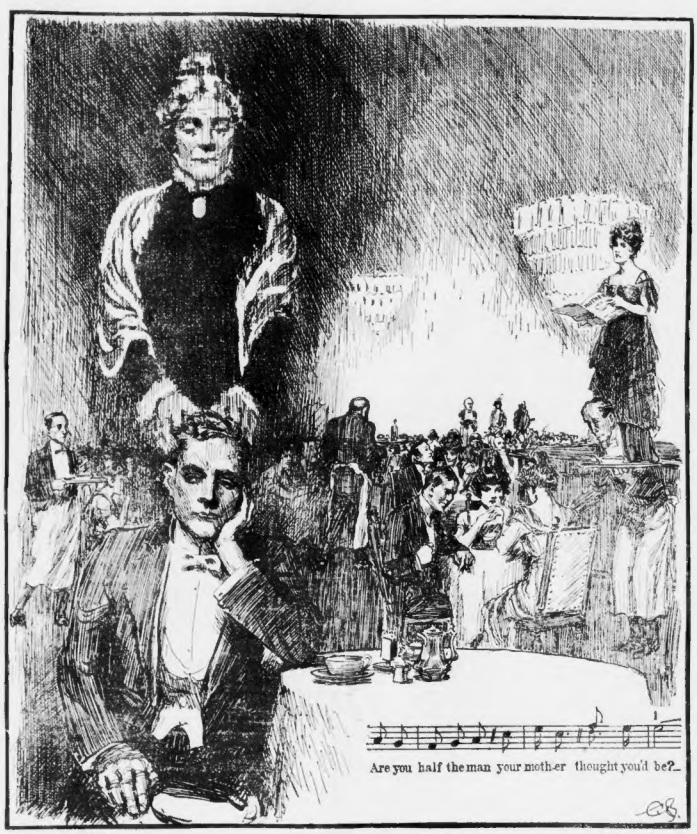
It is true that the billion dollars' worth of war bonds and war debts owned by the financial interests of Wall street are in undeniable danger.

It is true that the millions of foreign securities which multi-millionaire steel makers and ammunition makers have taken instead of cash are in considerable peril.

It is true that we can probably rescue these multi-millionaires' foreign bonds and securities from danger by joining the allies.

But we refute that either the welfare of the nation or the welfare of humanity demands that we save these millionaires' fortunes by piling millions of indebtedness upon the rest of us and by sending a million of your sons to the slaughter pits of Europe.

Citizens, let us aid humanity as humanity should be aided, not by adding to the suffering and the slaughter of humanity, but by doing our utmost to end the sufferings and the slaughter of humanity.

"ARE YOU HALF THE MAN"—

Read in the last column of this page Ella Wheeler Wilcox's generous tribute to a famous song. Praise from Ella Wheeler Wilcox is very great praise indeed.

What a compass is to the ship, a man's memory of his father and mother should be to him.

That memory has saved many a man at the critical moment, and turned back many that had started on the wrong path. (Read Mrs. Wilcox's article.)

What Is Your Answer to This Song?

Mrs. Ella Wheeler Wilcox, the World-Famous Poetess, Pays a Tribute to the Power of a Mother's Influence.

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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PASSING along Madison square in New York City recently a small army of men was observed encompassing almost the entire block. Men stood four abreast, and were packed in as tightly as the proverbial sardines in the box. They were slowly and patiently waiting to make their way to the entrance of a certain building where large posters announced a pugilistic contest was about to begin.

It is a good thing for a man to be interested in athletic sports; it is a good thing for a man to understand wrestling, boxing, fencing and whatever tends to self-defence and the defence of others, but it is a misfortune when a man wastes his time, his energies and his ideals of life in prize fighting. It is only a step beyond the brutality and savageness of bull fighting.

There is a song which ought to be sung and played at all these gatherings where men meet to witness what they call "sport." This song is entitled, "Are You Half the Man Your Mother Thought You'd Be?" That is a good title for a song. It is a haunting title and with simple, appealing music it is sure to stay in the memory of one who hears it sung a few times.

Instinct Leads Mothers to Have Great Ideals for Children

There is not one mother in one thousand who does not dream high and happy dreams about her little boy. Even mothers who are not good women and who have bad habits want their boys to become good and great men, and the simplest and the humblest women have often the greatest ideals for their children. They are ready to make any sacrifice and to deny themselves any comforts in order to give their children what they call a chance in life. They are not now thinking of their efforts to produce these results. They often awaken ambition rather than aspiration in the minds of their children.

But their impulse is right, even when their methods are wrong.

Almost every man can remember the pride felt when his mother praised him for some good deed, some unselfish act, or for bringing home a good report from his teachers. He can recall how, in those moments, he planned to do wonderful things, and to make his mother proud of him when he became a man.

The song, "Are You Half the Man Your Mother Thought You'd Be?" is addressed to men with such memories:

"Have you kept your promise to her that you made while on her knee?
Can you truly say you're half the man today that she always thought you'd be?
Is she proud to be your mother;
Is it joy or sorrow in her eyes you see?
Are you all she planned and prayed for, all she raked and scraped and slaved for?
Are you half the man your mother thought you'd be?"

If you cannot answer these lines in the affirmative, why not right-about face and begin over? There is really no work on earth so interesting as the building of character. There is a genius of sculpture in America now, Mr. Borglum, who has taken a contract to carve on the rock of a mountain at Atlanta, Georgia, the whole history of the South. It will require ten years to accomplish it; it is a magnificent idea and when accomplished the work will last as long as the mountain lasts, which may be a few hundred years, or a few thousand, or a few million.

Building Your Character Is the Greatest Work You Can Ever Do

A cataclysm might occur which would cause the mountain to be sunk under seas or swallowed in an earthquake, as whole continents have been swallowed and sunk in eras gone by. But the sculptor's art is supposed to be the most imperishable of all the arts and so there is deep joy in his heart when he is carrying out his ideals.

Each human being has a more wonderful work before him than any sculptor if he chooses to undertake the reshaping and rebuilding of his own character. Character is the one thing which is immortal. Men die, nations pass away, continents sink in the seas, oceans dry up and mountains fall, but character lives on from era to era, from epoch to epoch, until it goes back to the original source which is God, and helps to form new universes and to create new solar systems.

Therefore it is the most glorious work which you can undertake—the work of building yourself over —overcoming your weaknesses, conquering your bad habits, strengthening your will power, elevating your ideals and becoming a power for good in the world.

Once you get interested in this work, life will assume new meaning, and every day will be like a new birth to you. If you miss in your efforts to obtain material success, it will seem of small moment to you, so long as you know that you are making your daily life worth while, and gradually, step by step, climbing up to the tower room of your nature, where you may bask in the sunlight of aspiration and noble thoughts.

Even Material Failure Cannot Affect Success in Character

If the things which you attempt to do to help other people fail, if those you attempt to assist prove unworthy, if you receive ingratitude for kindness, still life will be worth while and there will be joy in existence, because you know your own impulses are good, your own efforts worthy, and your own character is being formed in the likeness of God.

Start in today and try and make yourself "the man your mother thought you'd be."

In-Shoots

Most of us would be willing to give woman the vote if we were sure that she would not insist on joining all the lodges.

Might as well abate on that financial low ebb as to freeze to death waiting on the bank.

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

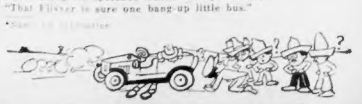
How We Brought the News from Ghent to Aix

NOT a word to each other we kept the great pace;
Rim to rim, chug for chug; never changing our place.
I reached for the shift lever—threw her in high;
Glanced down at the oil; dug a clod from my eye,
Then cut out the muffler to ease up the load—
And gosh! How that Flivver lit out down the road.

"BY Hasselt," Dirk groaned, and cried Joris, "Good night!
Them ——— ——" is hum; the ignition ain't right.
We will tell the garage," for we heard her back fire
And saw the sparks spit as we scorched along by her.
While Dirk, with his head buried under the hood,
Was cussing the spark plugs and cussing them good.

"HOW they'll greet us!" cried Joris. His speech was cut short;
Beneath him there sounded a banging report.
And I, though I never glanced 'round at him, knew
Exactly the trouble; he'd blown out a shoe.
And there was my Flivver to bear the whole weight
Of the news that alone could save Aix from her fate.

AND all I remember is folks standing by
And asking what hills I had made on the high.
And if the old motor kept cool all the while,
And how many gallons she used to the mile.
And making me speeches which mostly ran thus:
"That Flivver is sure one bang-up little bus."



Success or Dishonor in Mexico

By William Bayard Hale

Formerly President Wilson's Special Agent in Mexico

UNLESS the dead body of Villa is produced within a few hours it will be evident that he is not dead. He was the best known personality throughout Chihuahua. His actual death, if it occurred, would travel from lip to lip almost as fast as by wire. There could be no doubt about the fact.

The day on which the American troops who are pursuing Villa turn their faces to the North without having accomplished the object for which they were dispatched into Mexico will be a day of shame and dishonor.

That day, let us hope, will never come. The administration at Washington may negotiate with Mr. Carranza about the withdrawal of our troops, but that—thank Heaven—is not quite the same thing as withdrawing them.

In truth, the demand of the self-styled "First Chief of the Constitutionalist Army of Mexico" is a most insolent demand. He is here, without authority in the regions from which he assumes to dictate, the American expedition, sent out to punish a murderer whom he himself is utterly unable to punish.

There is no human probability that the murderer will ever be apprehended or punished by anybody except Americans. During the five weeks that have elapsed since the Columbus massacre no adequate effort has been made by the Carranza "government" to capture Villa and no serious purpose in that direction has been evinced.

If there were a million men sufficient reason to send an American force into Mexico after Villa, there is now overwhelming reason to keep that force in Mexico until it "gets" Villa. If it was then suspected that Carranza would not and could not deal with the bandit, it is now clearly proven that he cannot and will not.

There may have been considerations tending to discourage the idea of sending troops across the border; but, the troops having been sent, there are a thousand new considerations why they should not be allowed to come home without having executed their errand.

The whole series of negotiations, pronouncements, confidential understandings and long drawn out arrangements with Carranza has been not only a particularly silly but a very dangerous business.

It has deprived our troops of the use of the railways; it has kept them out of the towns; it has reduced almost to the condition of forlorn tramps what should have been a stern and formidable army. And if ever there were any excuse for negotiations with the pompous old gentleman, the excuse vanished with his flight at Parral fired upon a band of our soldiers and took the life of two of them. That moment the time for negotiations ceased, and the time for the clear-cut declaration of our firm purpose to carry out the full aim of the expedition by the use of every means at command.

Not another word should be wasted upon anybody in Mexico. Every resource should be drawn upon to reinforce the expedition, to strengthen the line of communication and to press vigorously on.

It will not do to underestimate the magnitude of the work that is before us. It was fatuously underestimated at the beginning, and, as a result, there is real danger that the original column may be cut off. danger that even now a terrible catastrophe may come at any time.

The administration, which sent our gallant men inadequately supported, upon their hazardous enterprise owes it to them to do all it can to rectify its error. A real army should be assembled with the utmost speed that will and energy can achieve and rushed to the relief of the little force ever whose fate the country has too good reasons to hang in suspense.

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